

Recent results on Galactic TeV gamma-ray sources

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Production of TeV gamma-ray emission

- Particles have to be accelerated to $E_{e,p} > 1 \text{ TeV}$
- If electrons:

$$\gamma_{LE} + e^{\pm}_{HE} \rightarrow \gamma_{HE} + e^{\pm}_{LowerE}$$

IC on Starlight, CMB and/or dust

$$e^{\pm}_{LE} + B \rightarrow \gamma_{LE} + e^{\pm}_{LowerE}$$

Synchrotron emission in presence of B

TeV gamma-rays can trace the electron population (independently of the B distribution)

$$N_e \propto E^{-\delta} \Rightarrow N_{\gamma} \propto E^{-(\delta+1)/2}$$

$$E_e = (18 \text{ TeV}) E_{TeV}^{1/2}$$

- If hadrons:

$$p + p \rightarrow \pi^0 + X + \dots + \pi^{\pm}$$

$$\quad \quad \quad \searrow \gamma + \gamma \quad \quad \searrow \nu_{\mu} + \nu_e + \dots$$

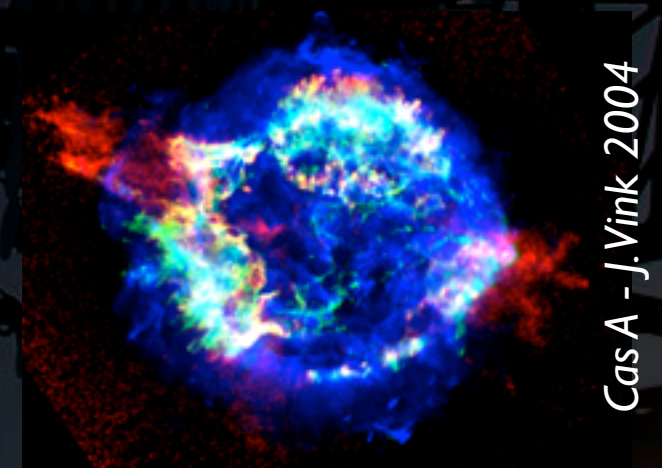
Trace Cosmic Rays accelerator/s $E_p \sim 10 E_{TeV}$

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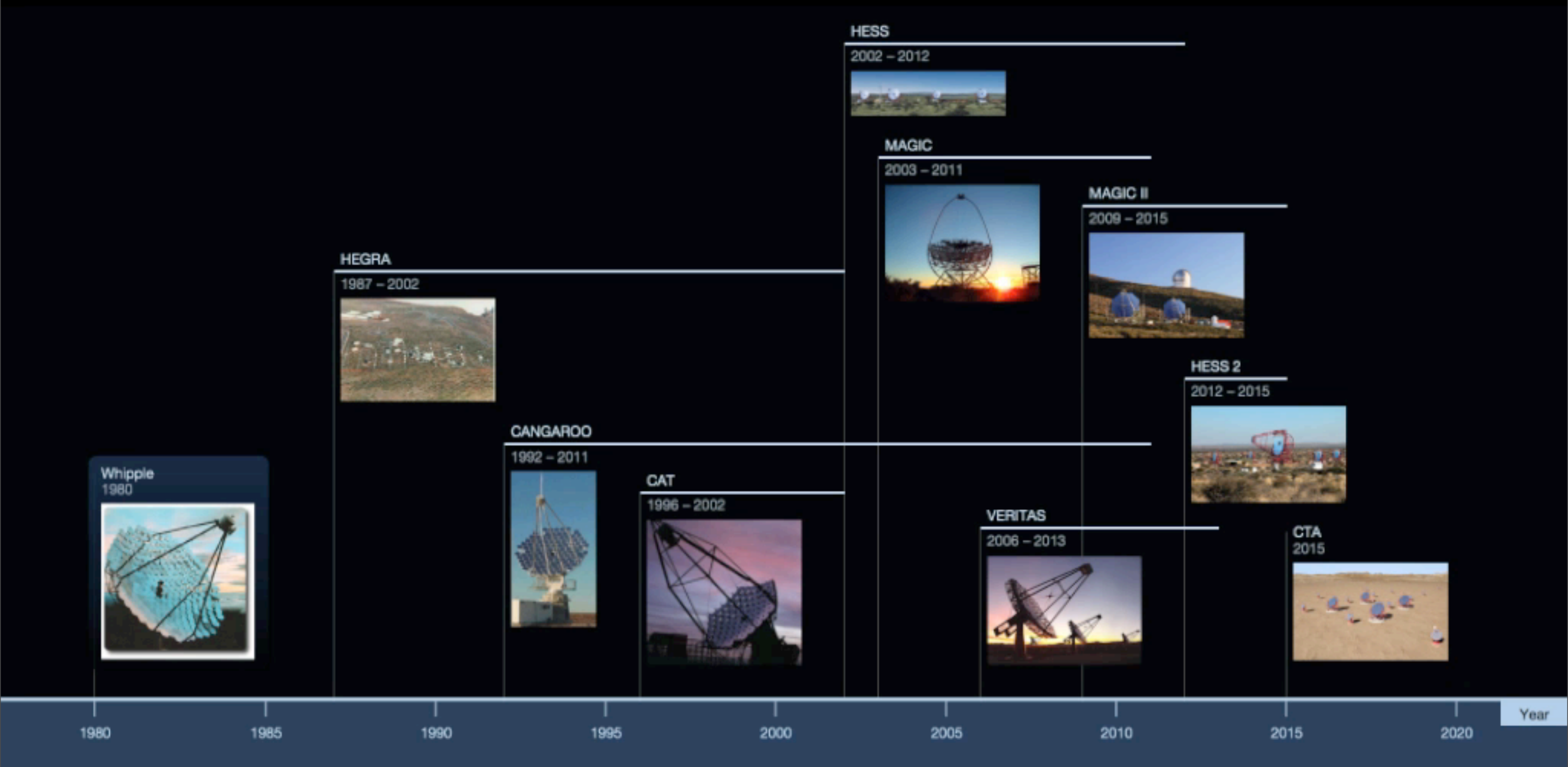
Search for PeVatrons



HESS 2012



The Development of the Cherenkov Telescopes Field

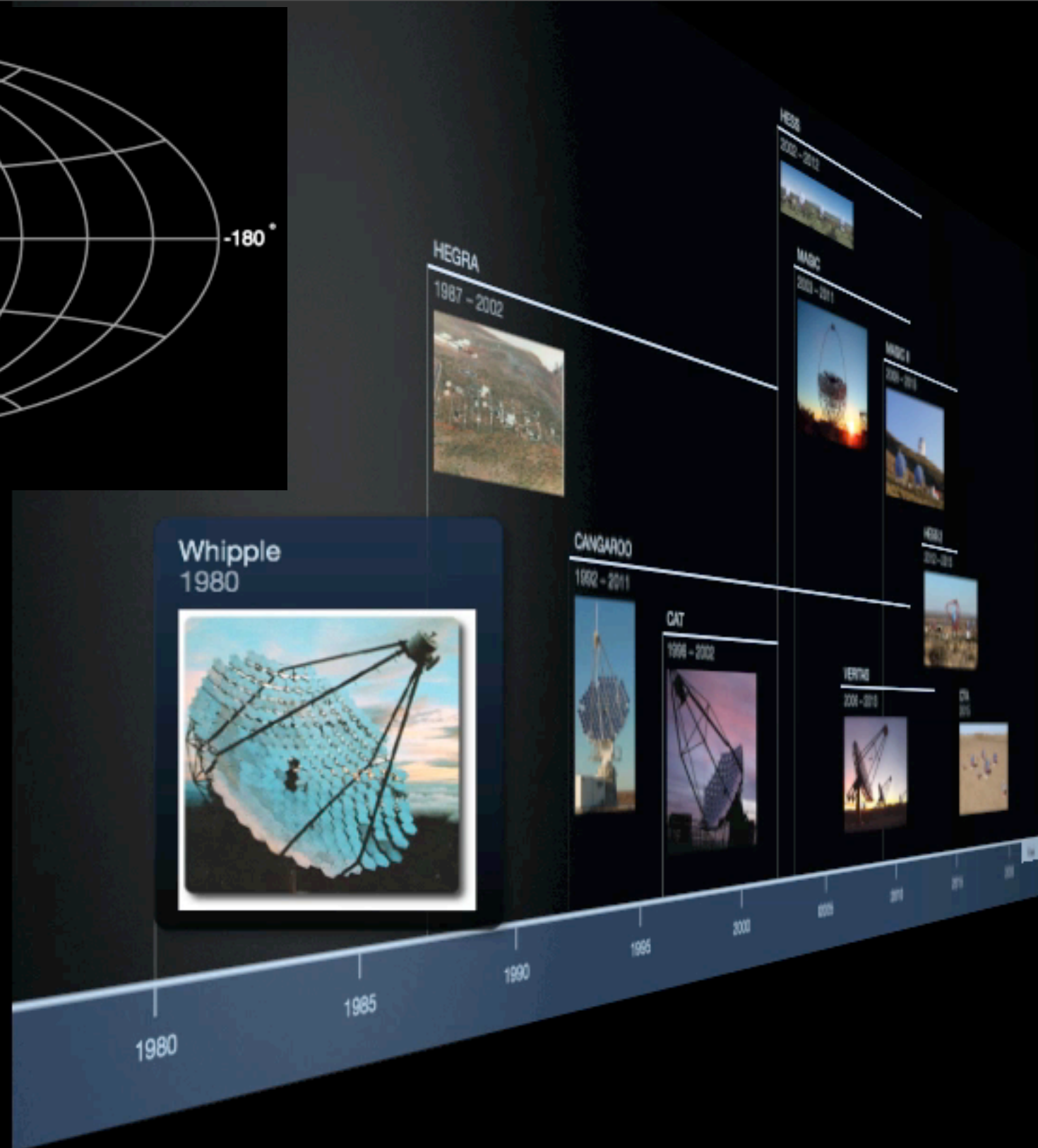
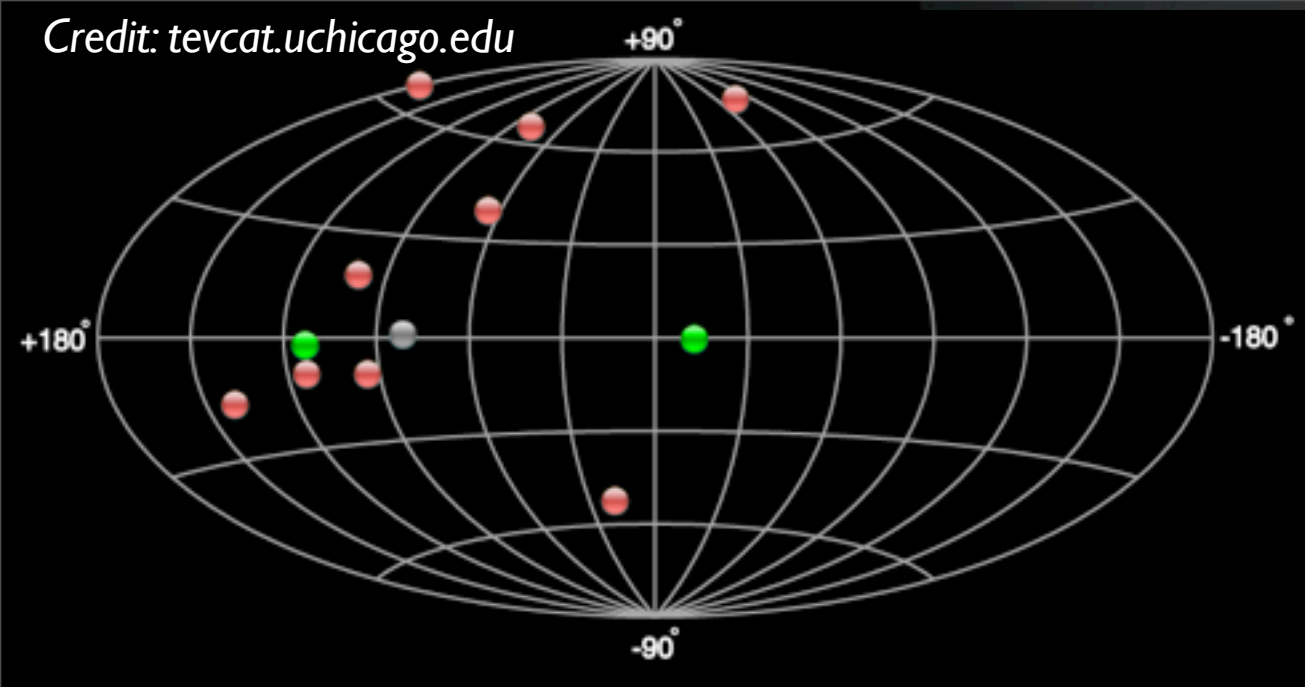




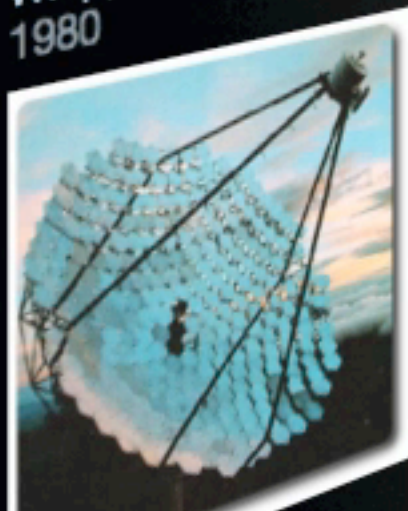
👁 Detection of the Crab Nebula

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1980



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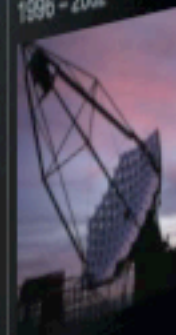
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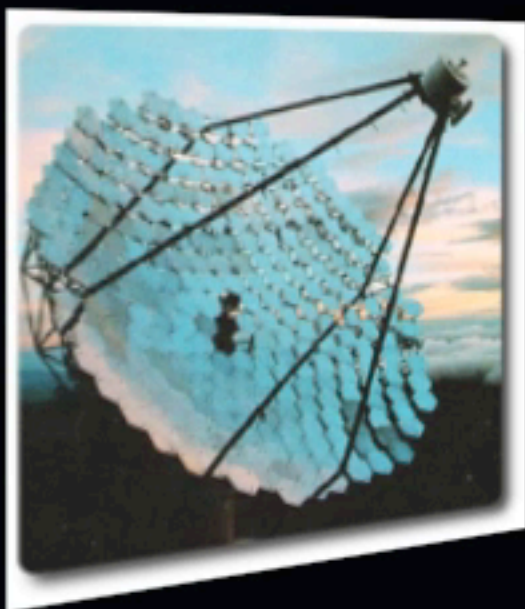
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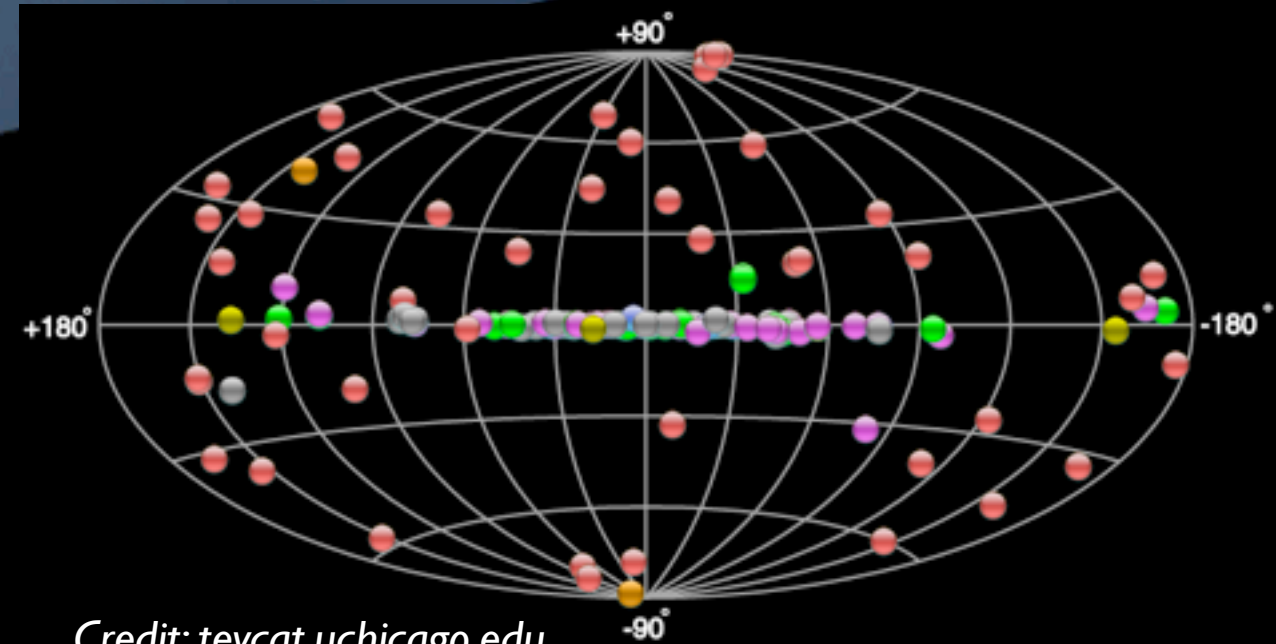
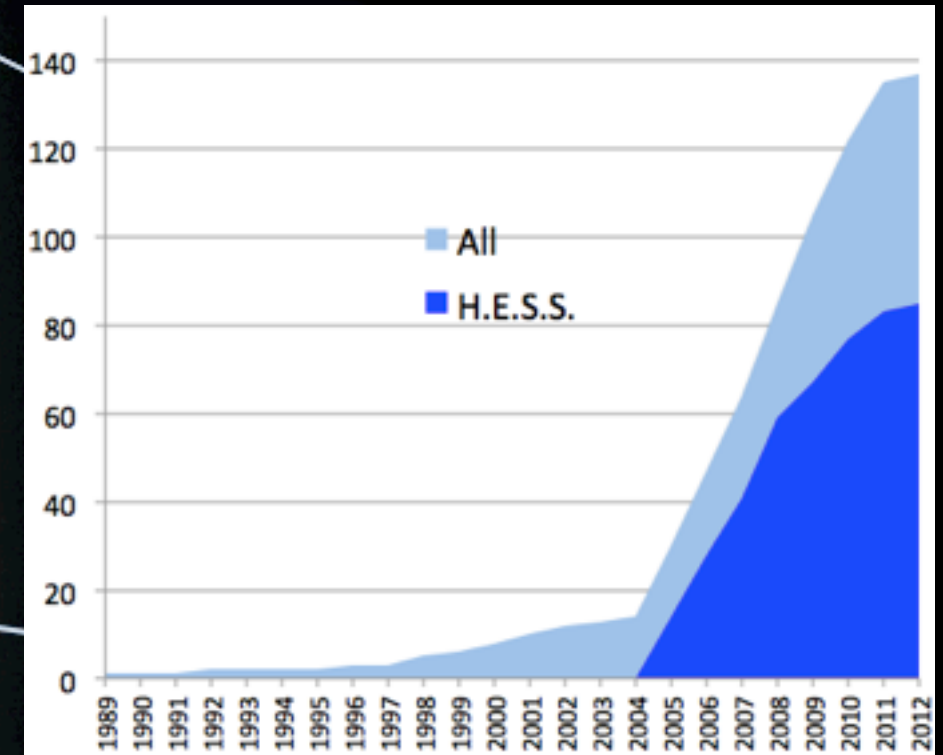
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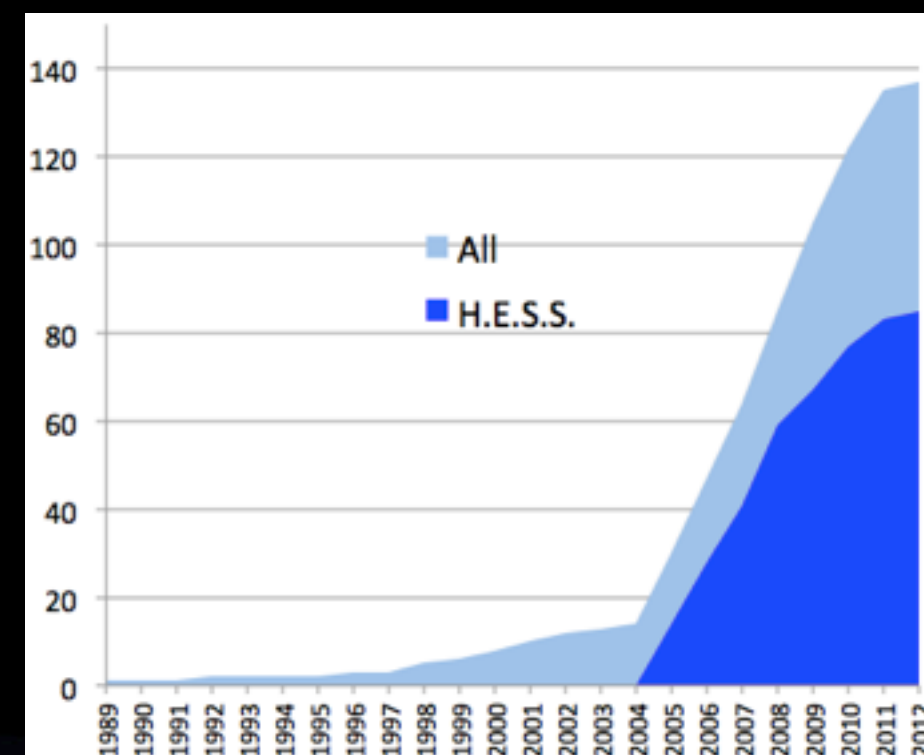
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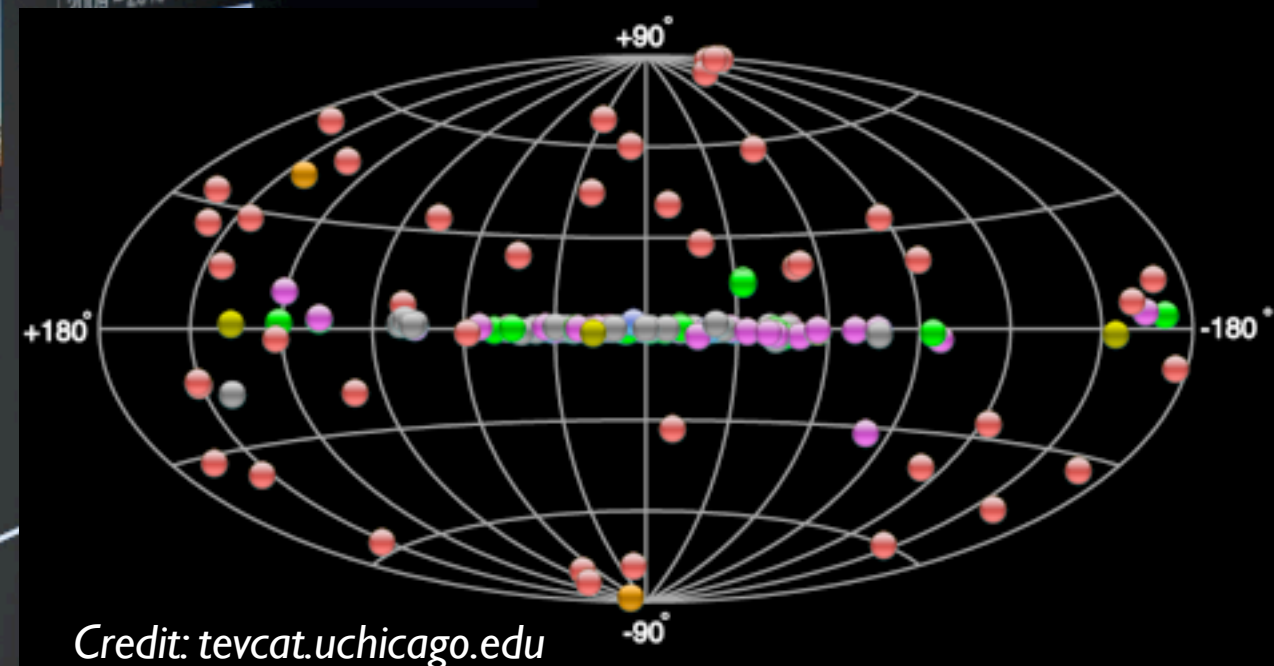
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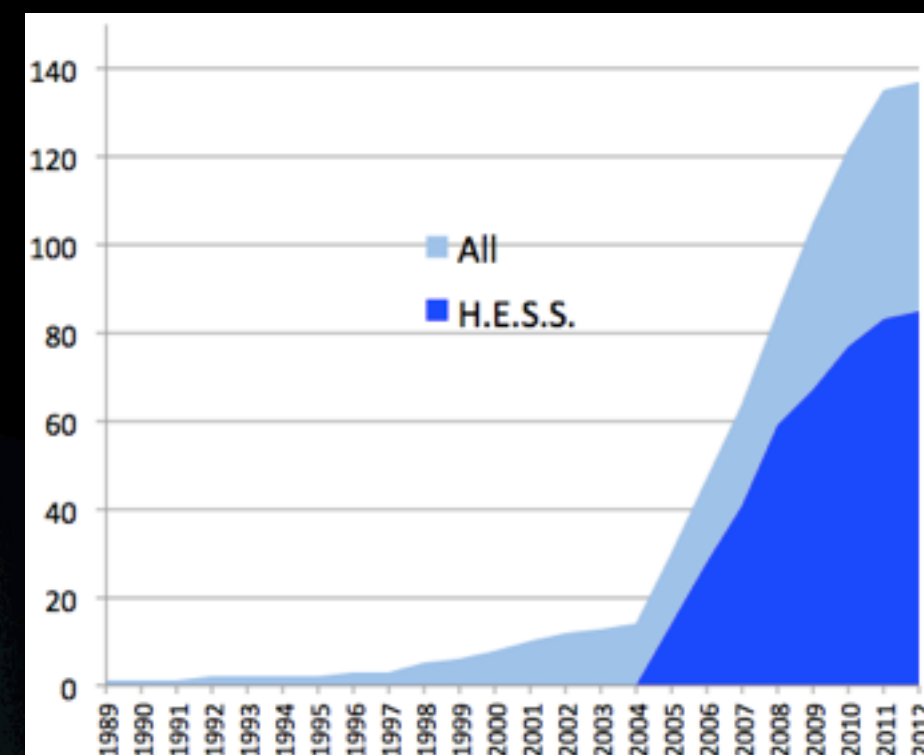
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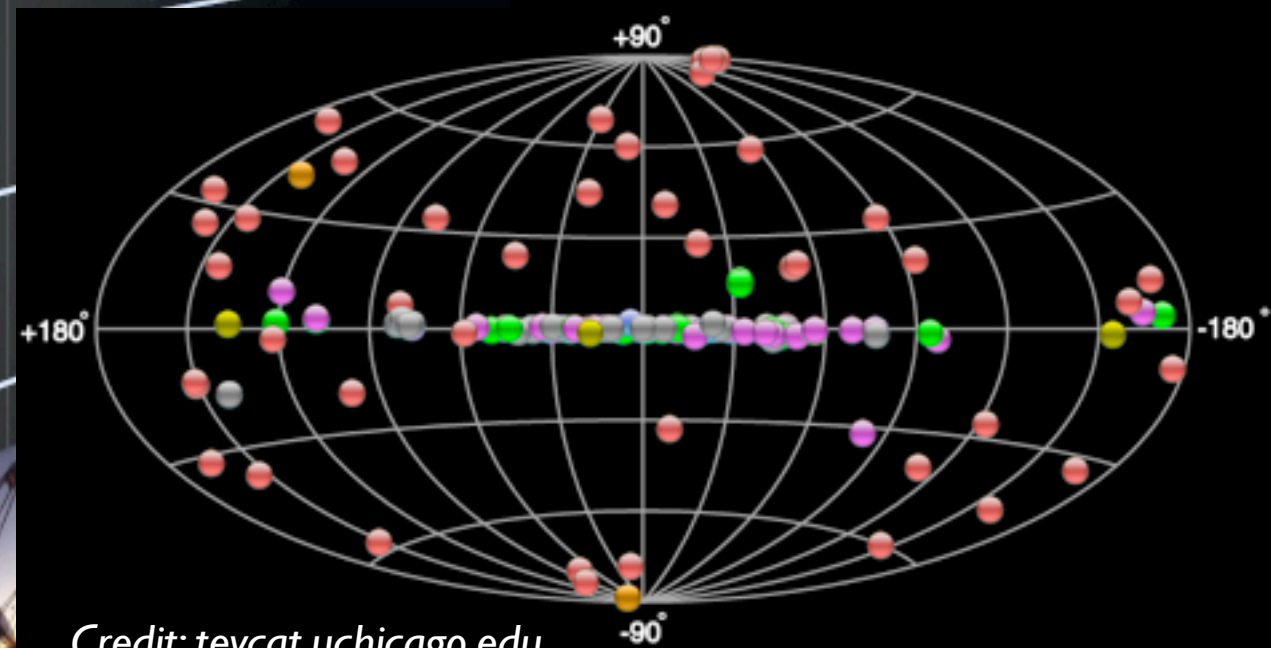


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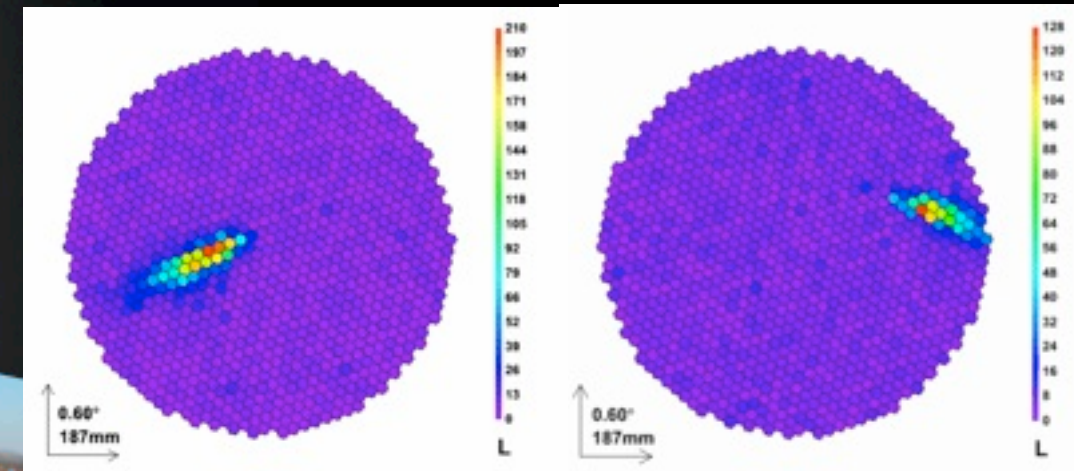
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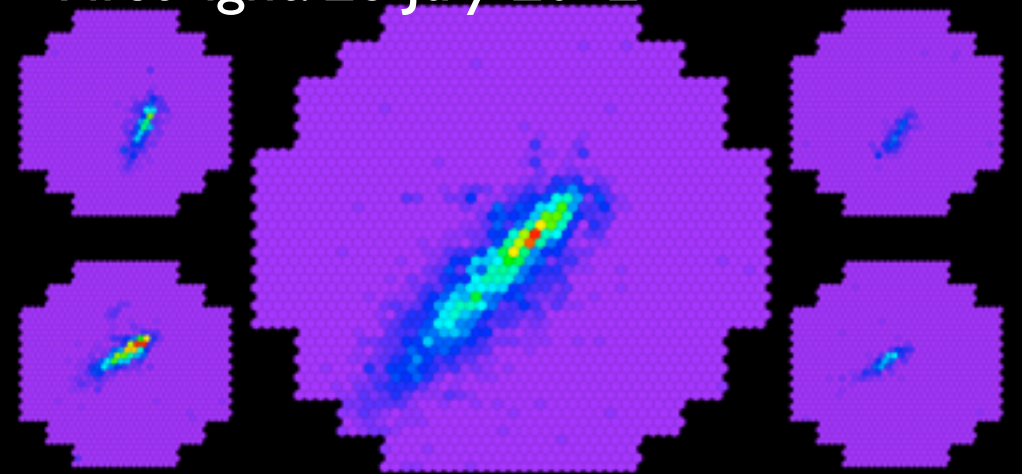
Credit: tevcat.uchicago.edu

First light: 24 Abril 2009
New camera: Summer 2012



A. Moralejo 2012

First light: 26 July 2012



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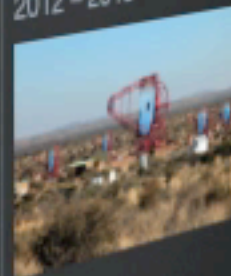
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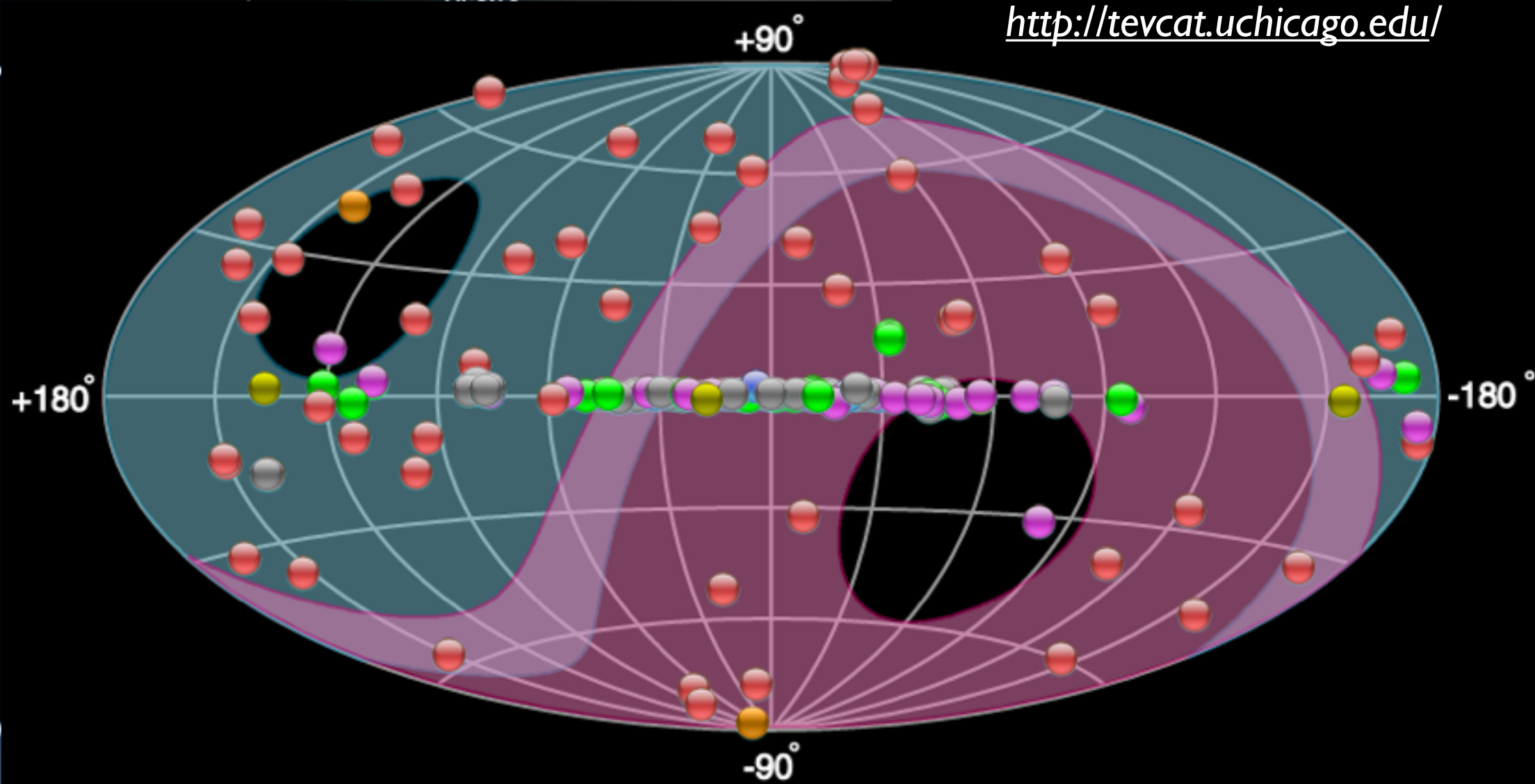
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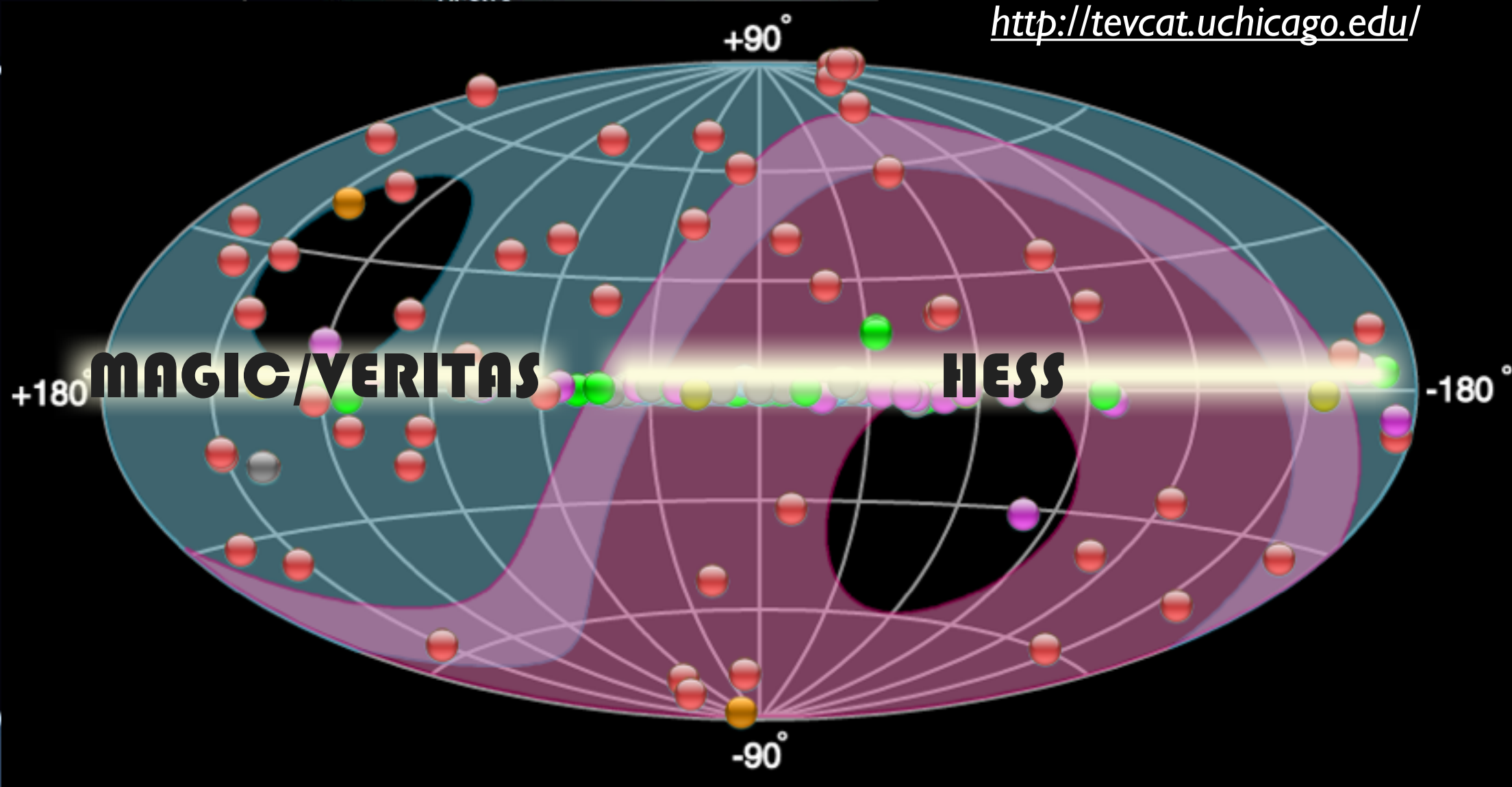


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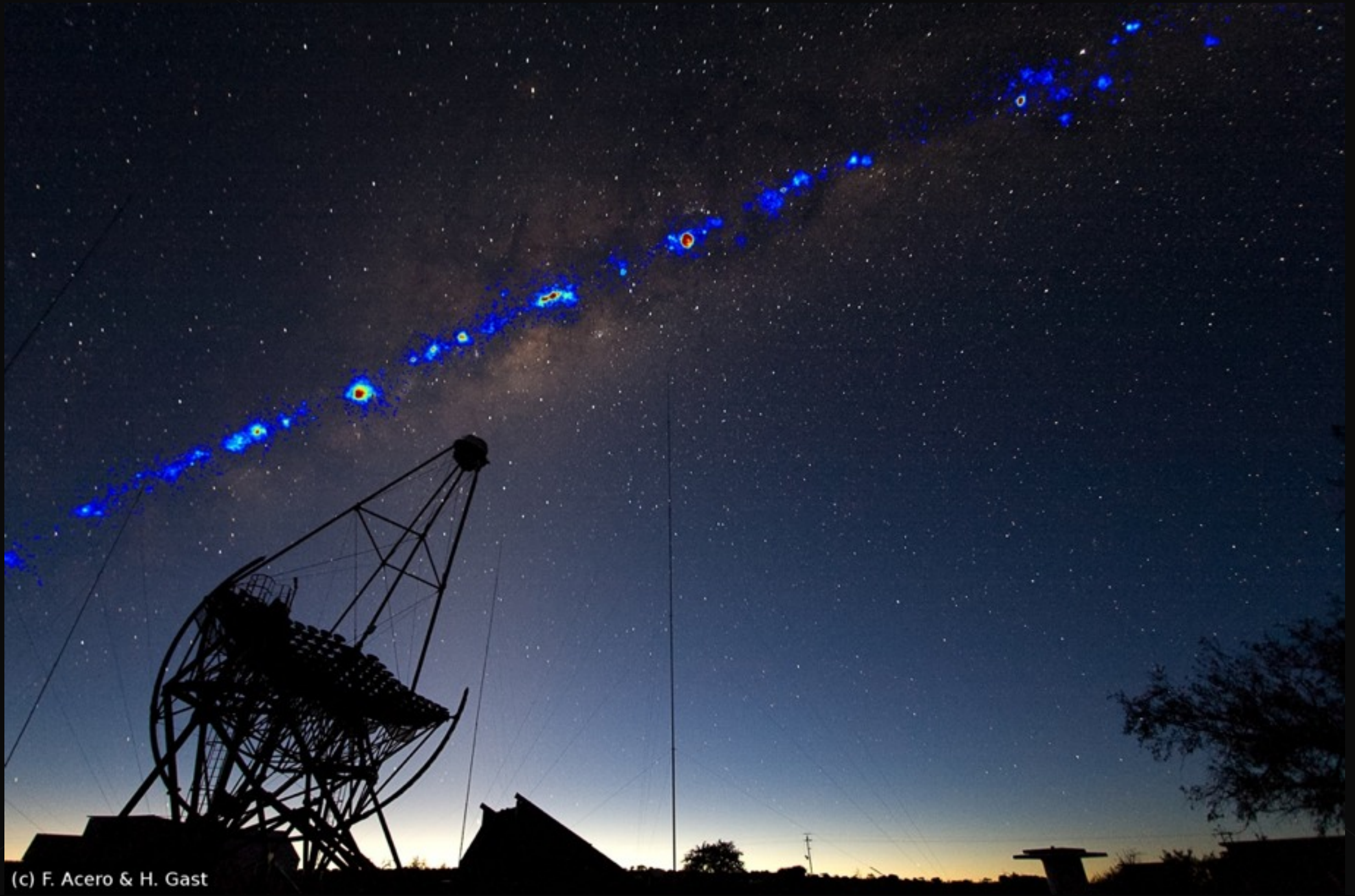
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The Population of TeV Galactic Sources



Molecular Cloud



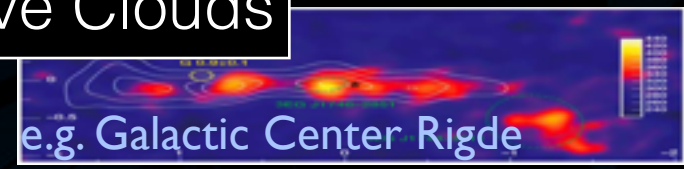


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Nearby accelerator

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Active Clouds



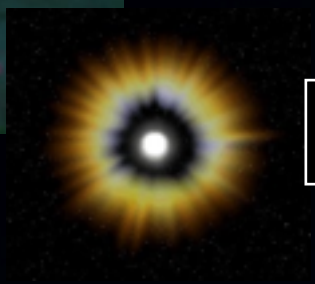
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Passive Clouds

e.g. Fermi clouds



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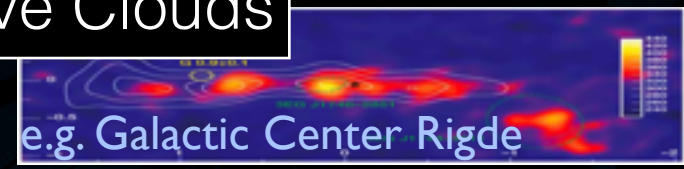


Massive Star

Nearby accelerator

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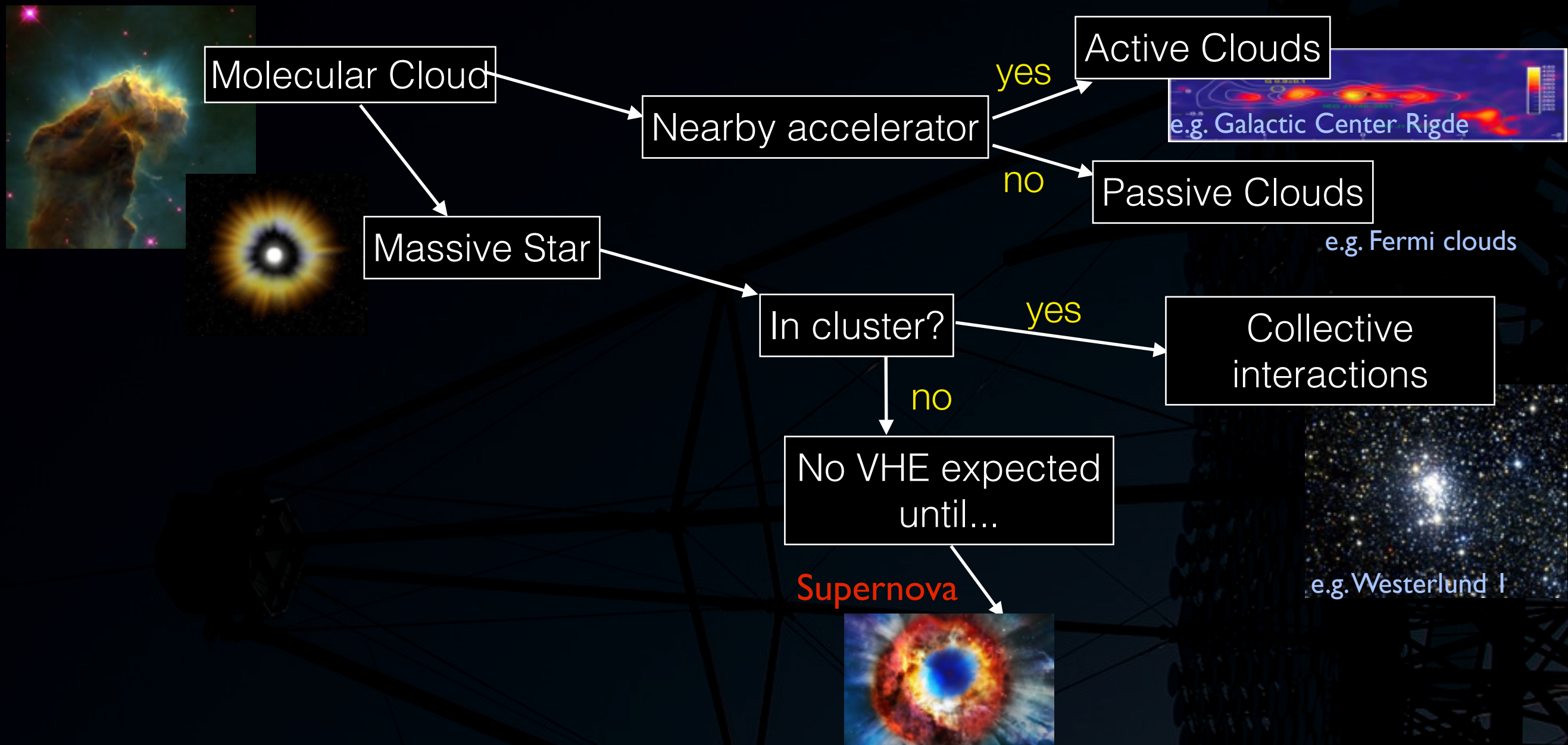


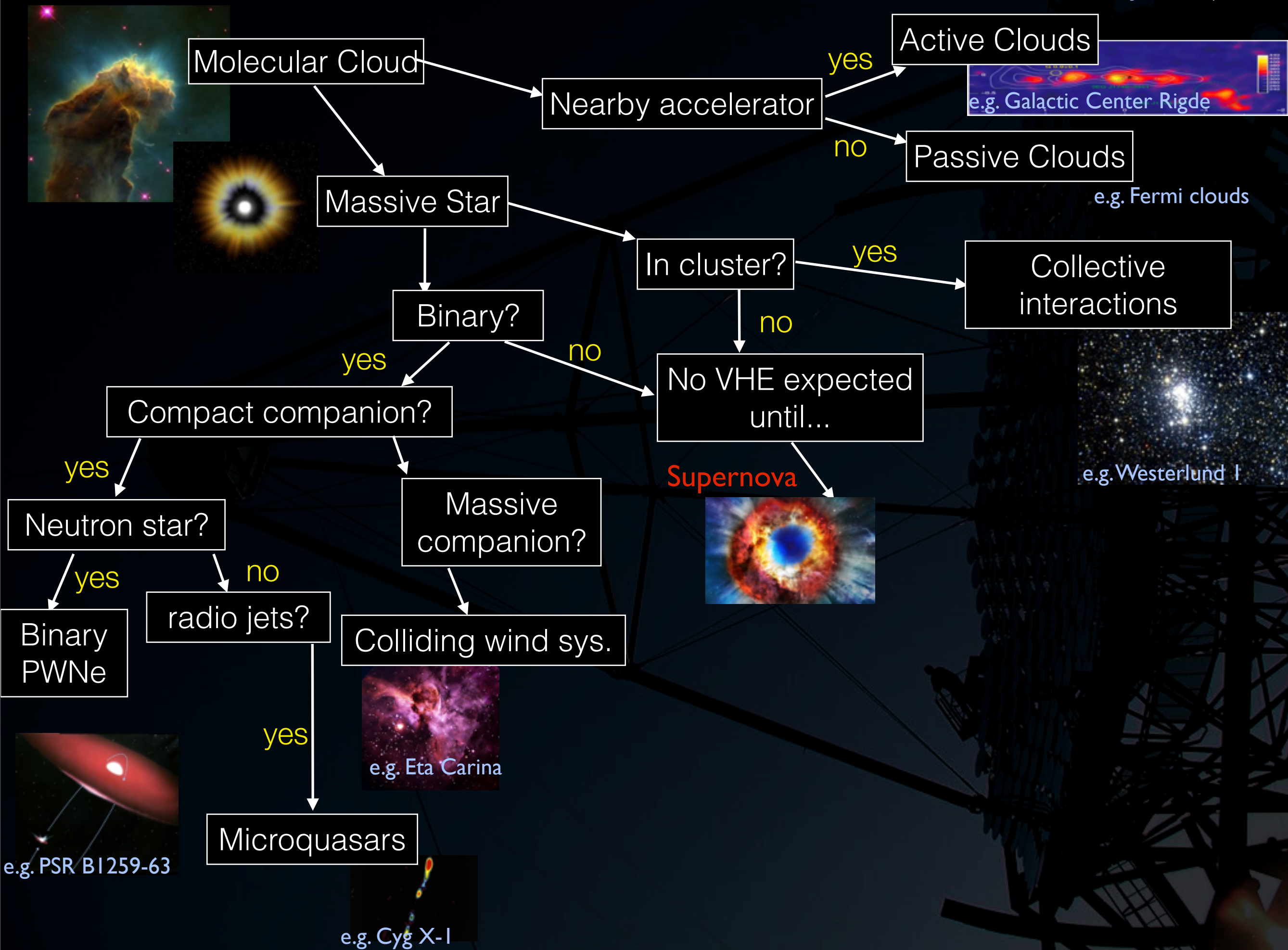
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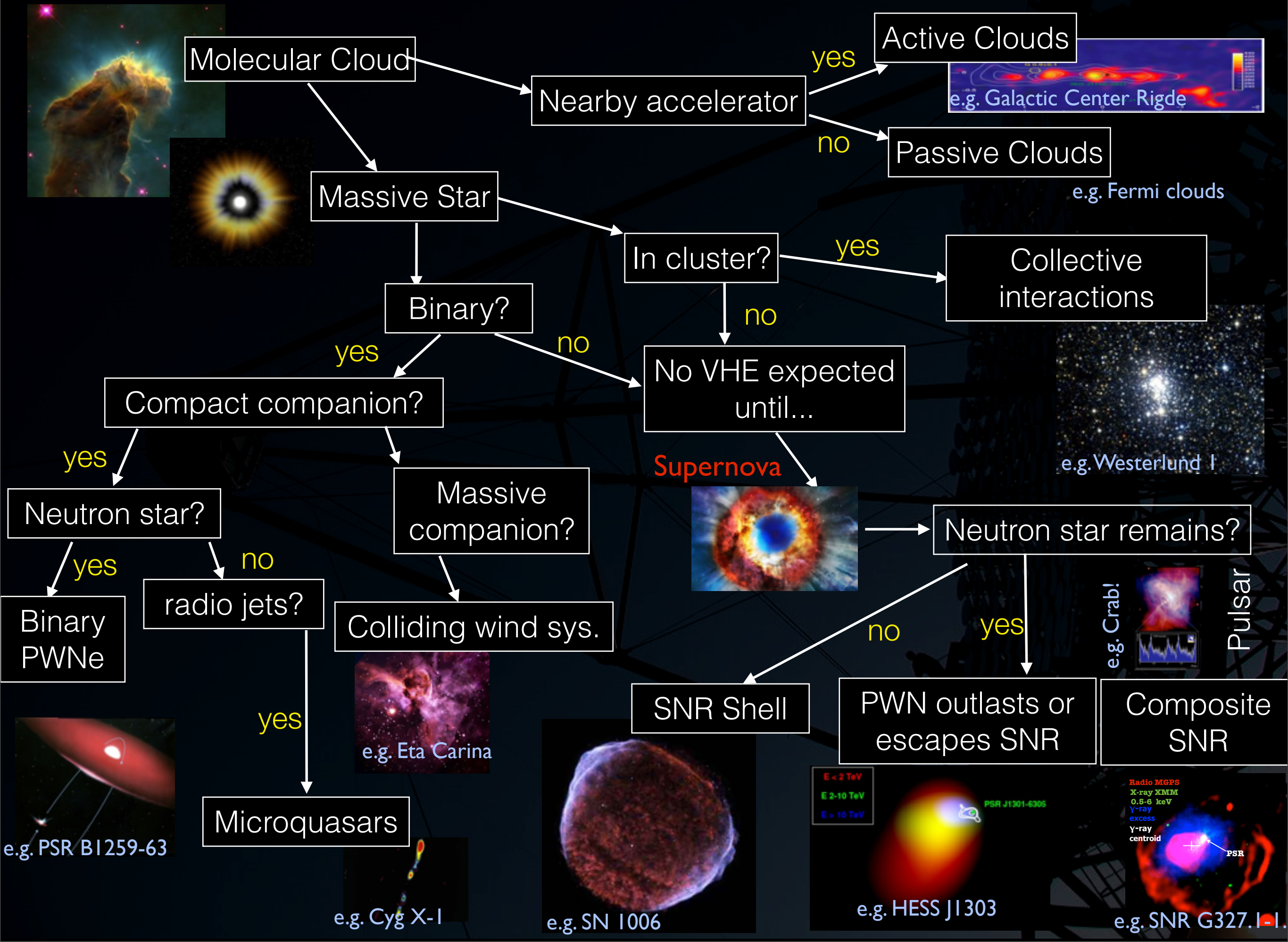
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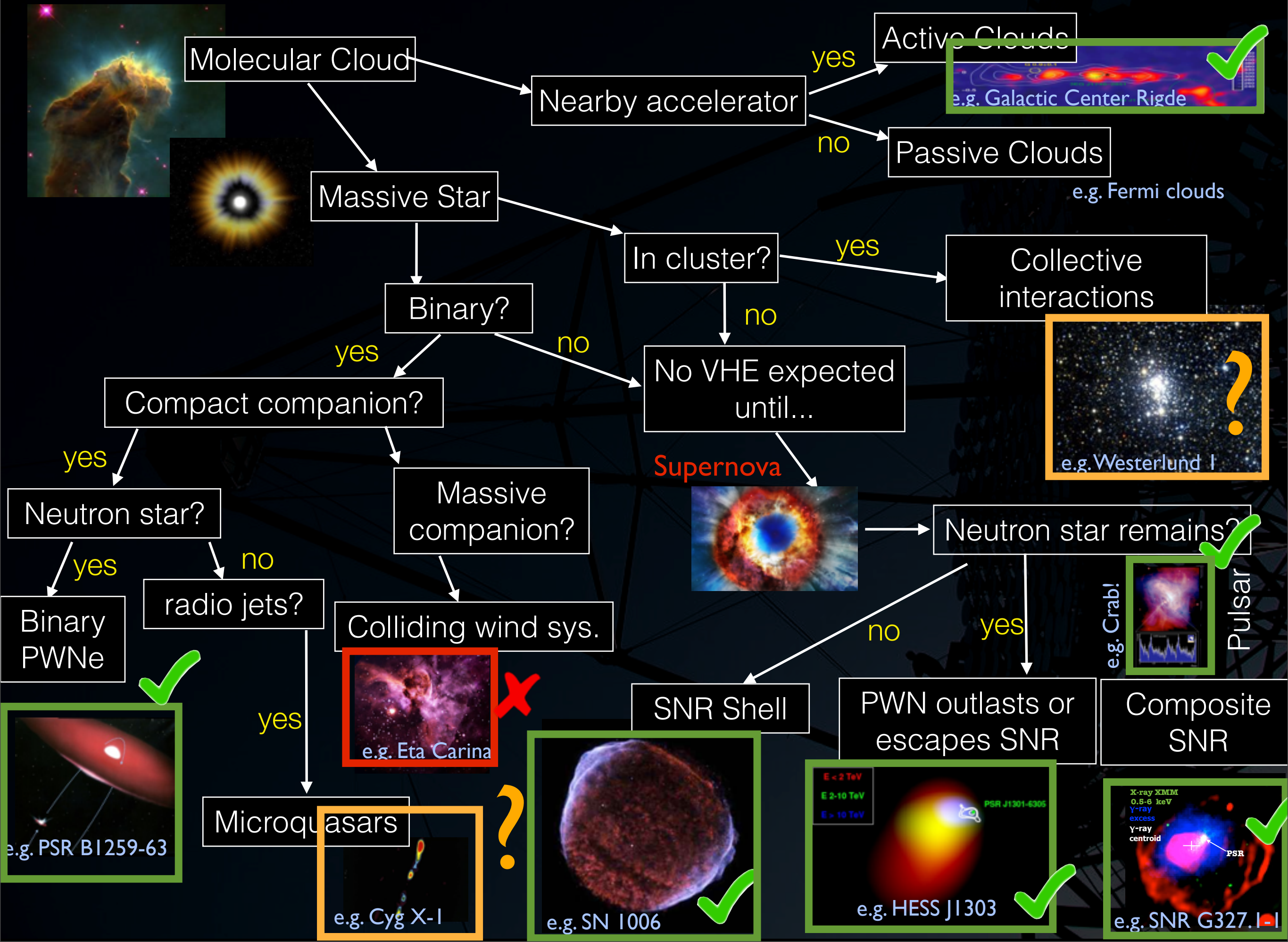
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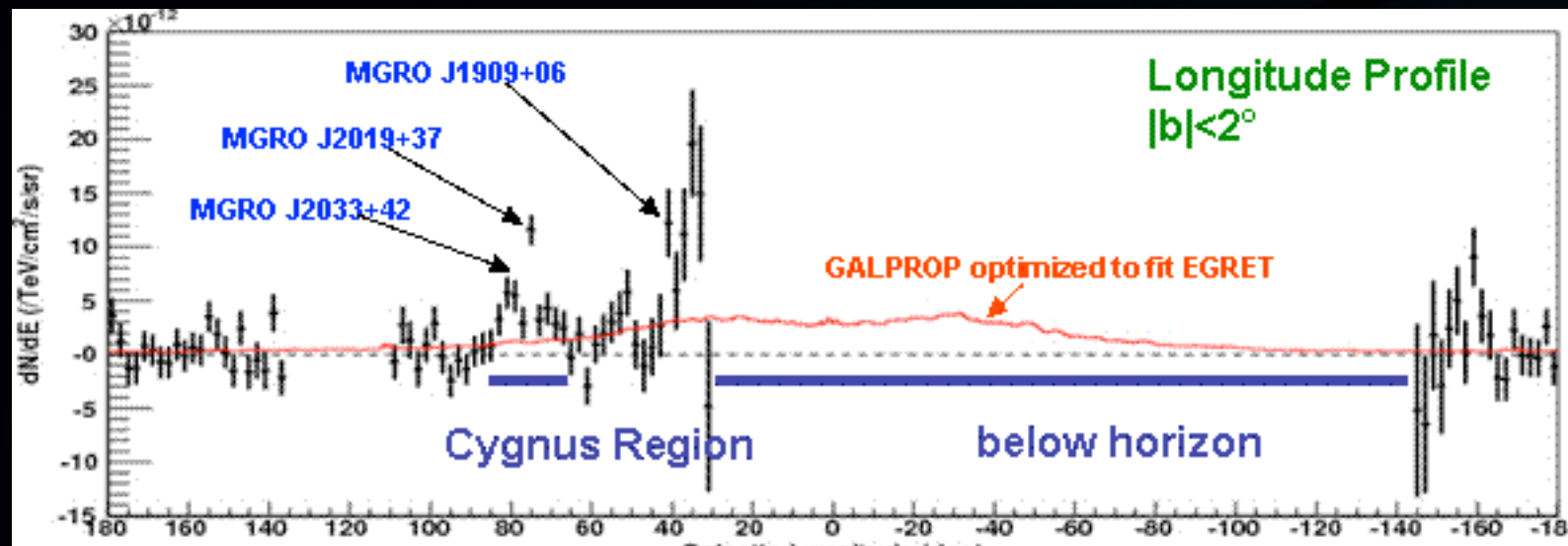








TeV Galactic Surveys



Particle/Water Cherenkov Detectors

Energy range 1-100 TeV

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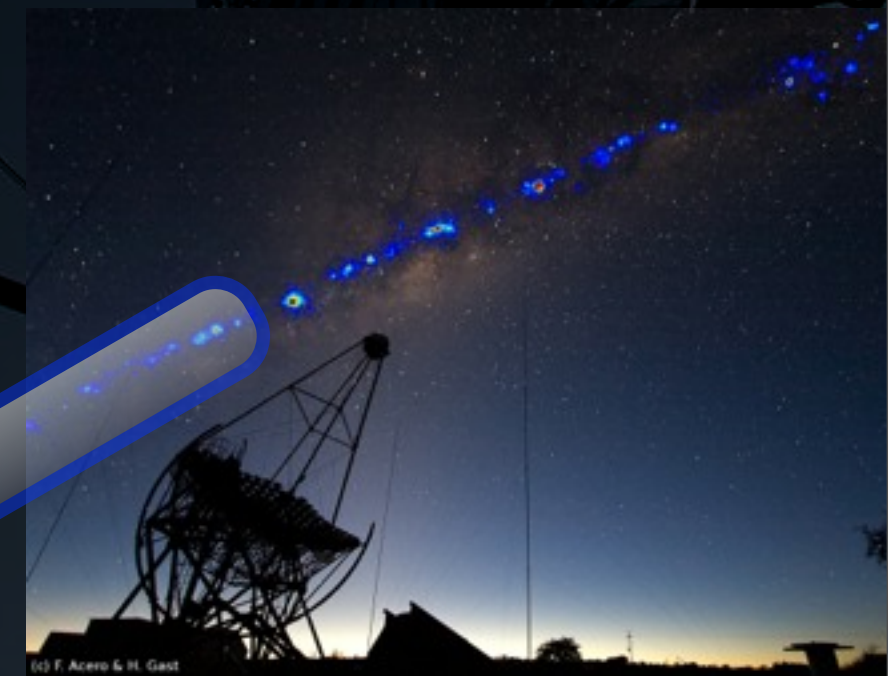
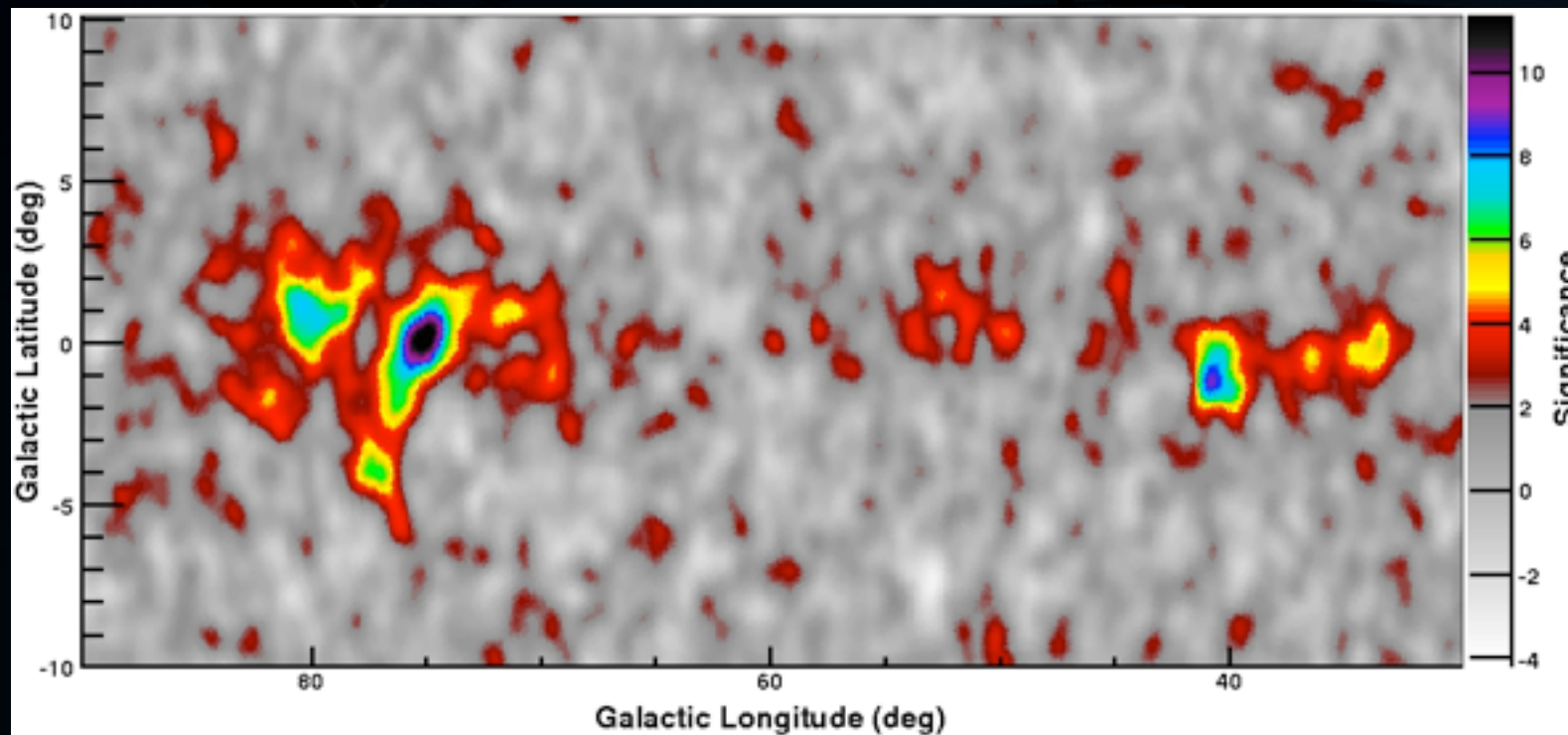
Background Rejection $> 95\%$

Angular Resolution $\sim 0.3\text{-}0.7^\circ$

Aperture $> 2 \text{ sr}$

Duty cycle 90%

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TeV Galactic Surveys

Maier et al (VERITAS) 2012

Cygnus Survey

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Air Cherenkov Telescopes

Energy range 0.05-50 TeV

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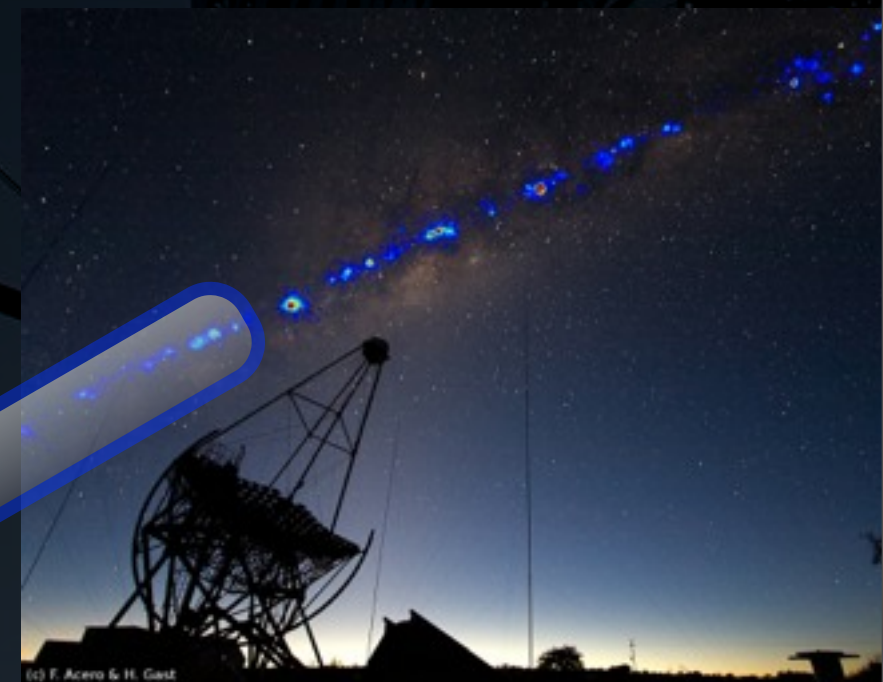
Background Rejection $> 99\%$

Angular Resolution $\sim 0.05^\circ$

Aperture 0.003 sr

Duty cycle 10%

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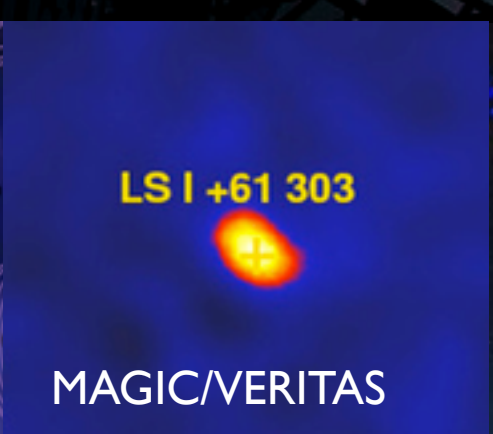
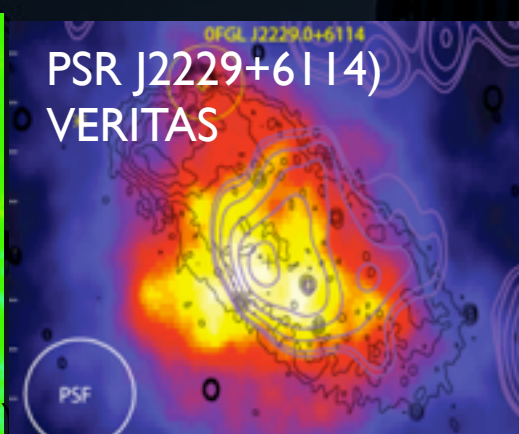
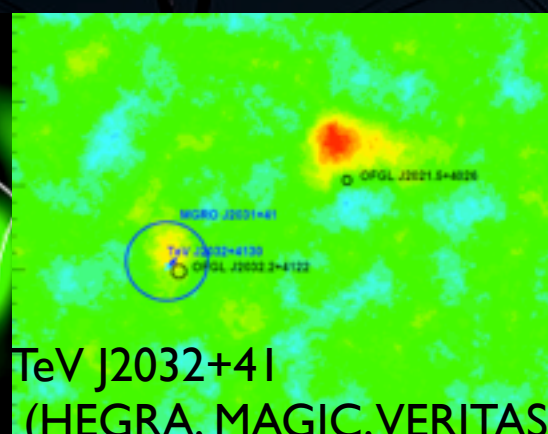
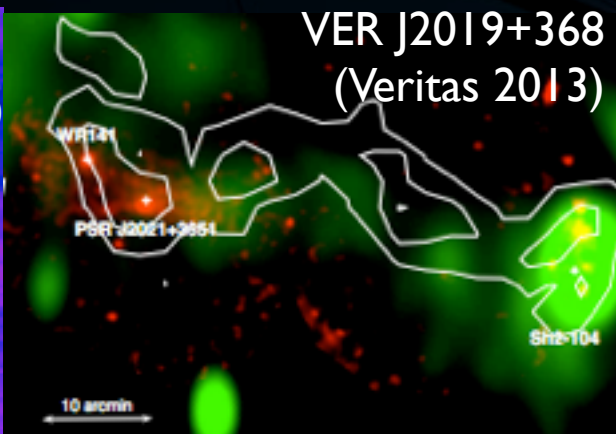
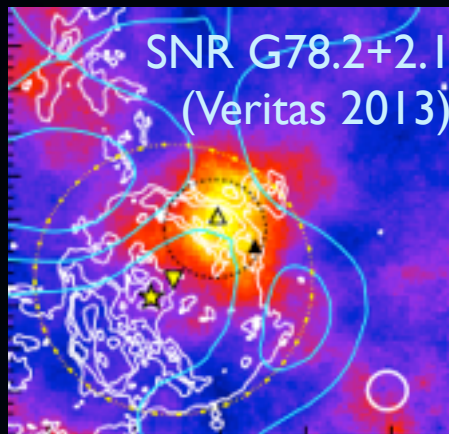
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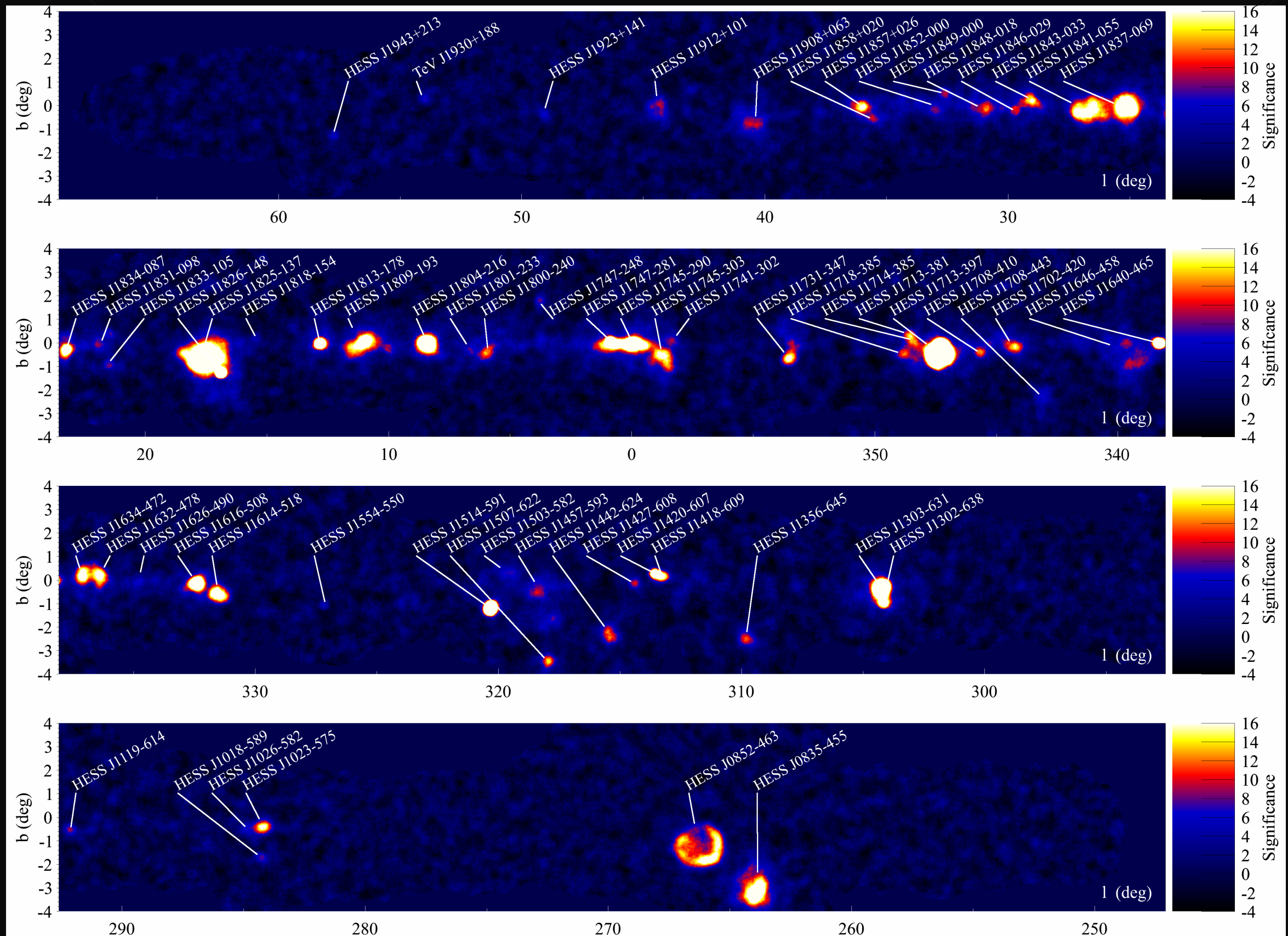


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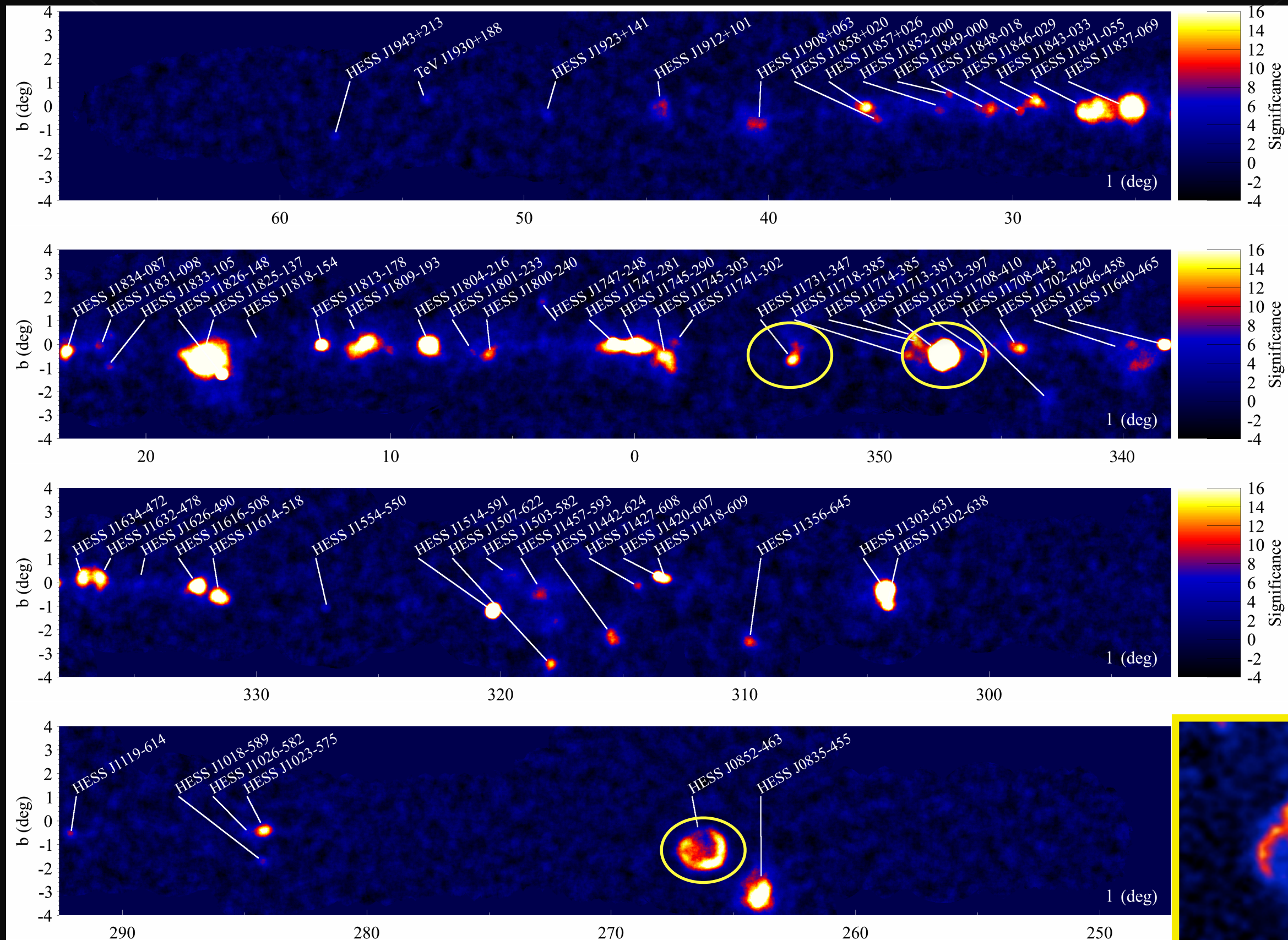


Gast et al, 2011

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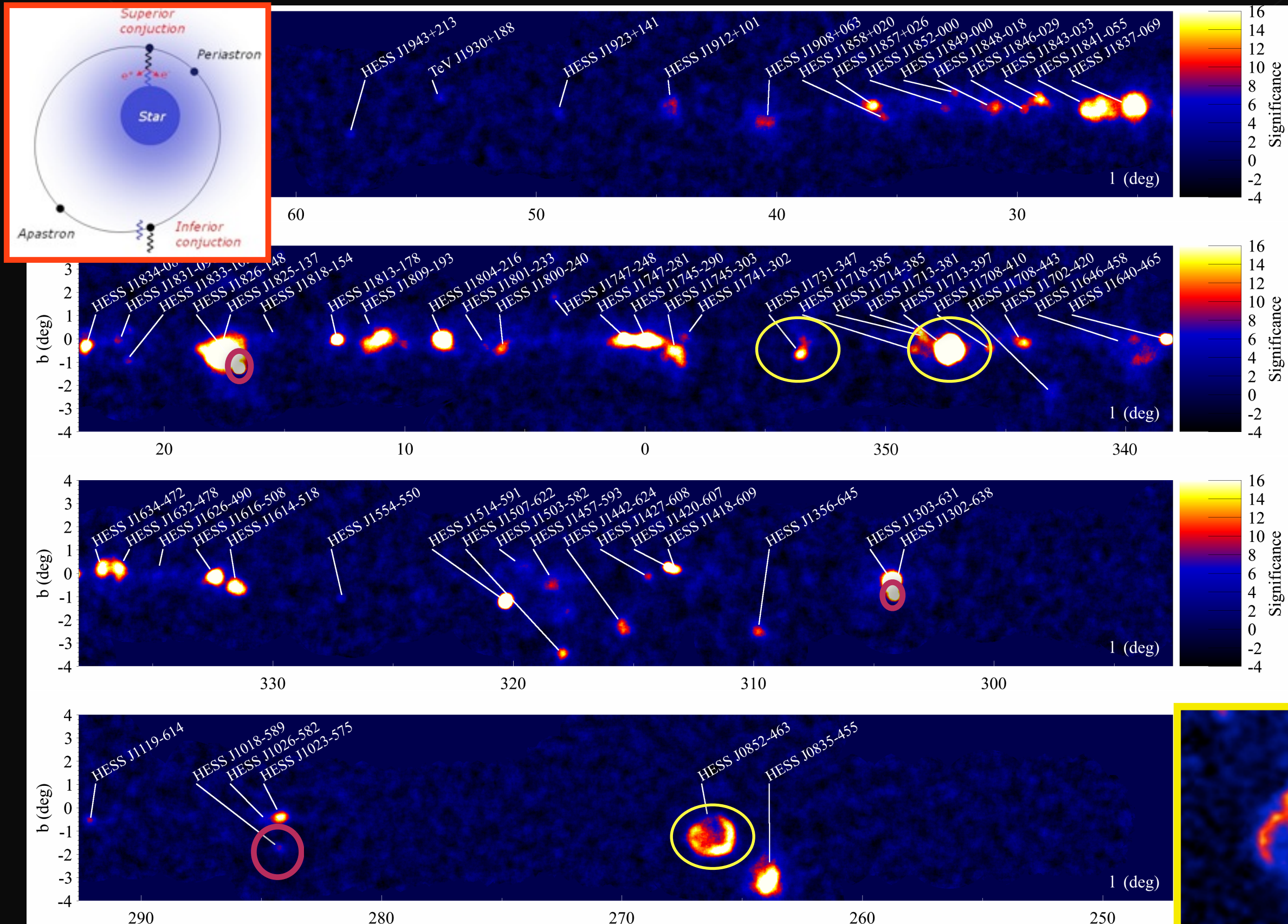
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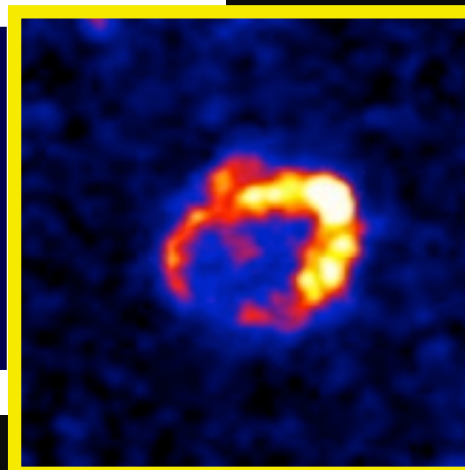
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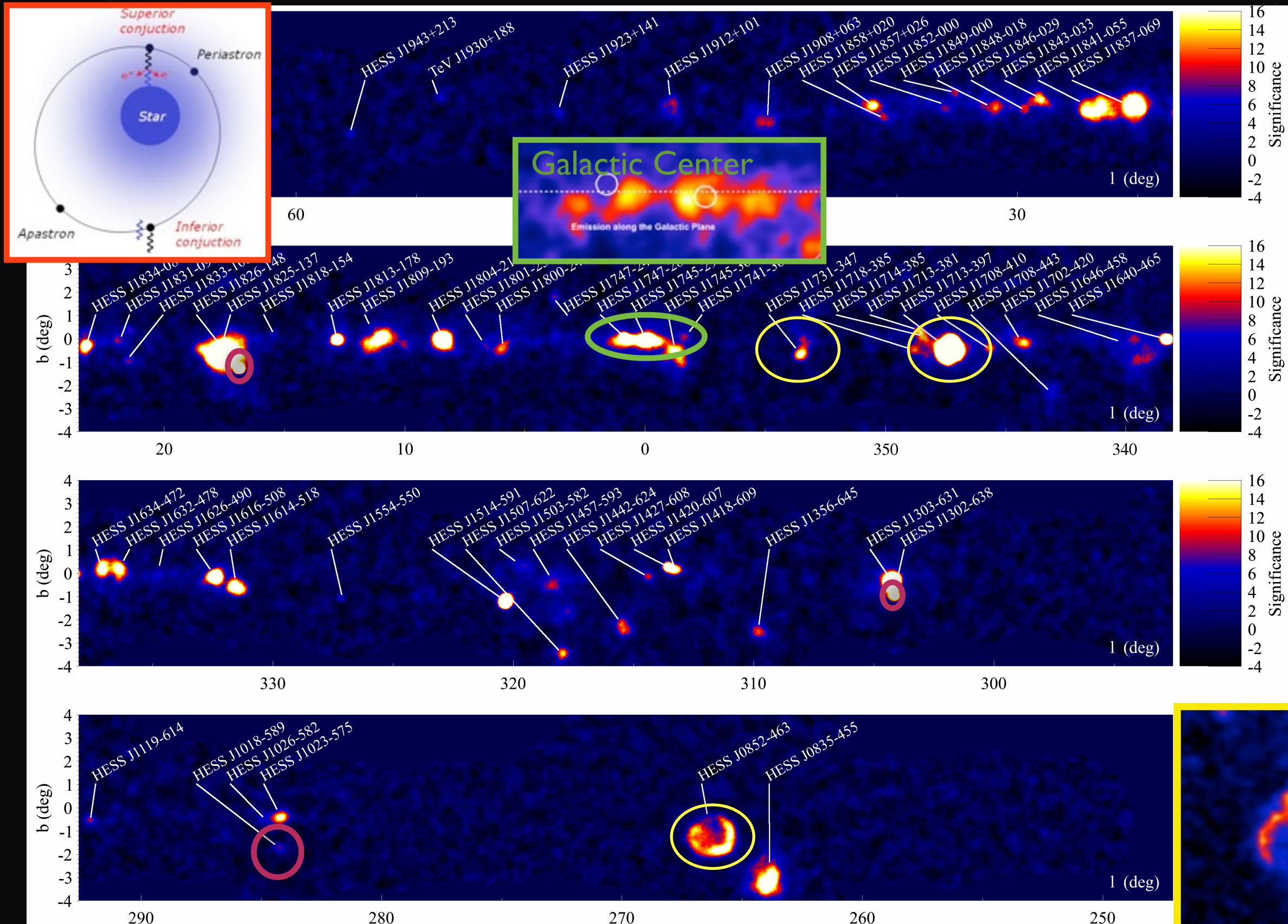


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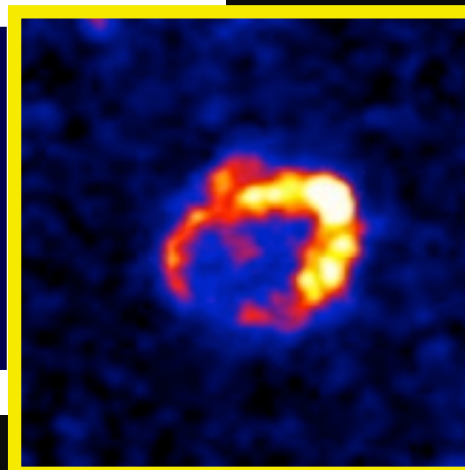
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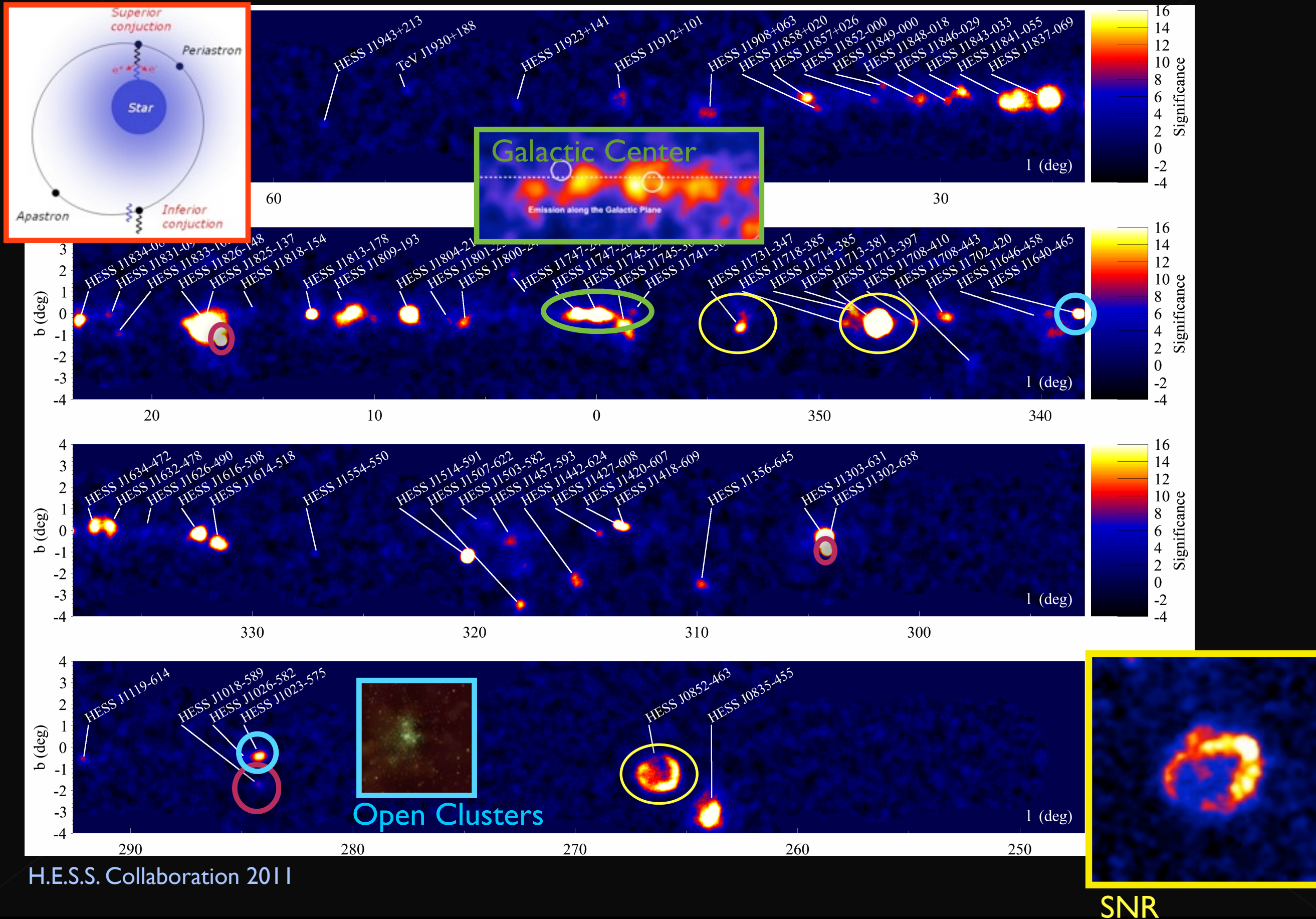


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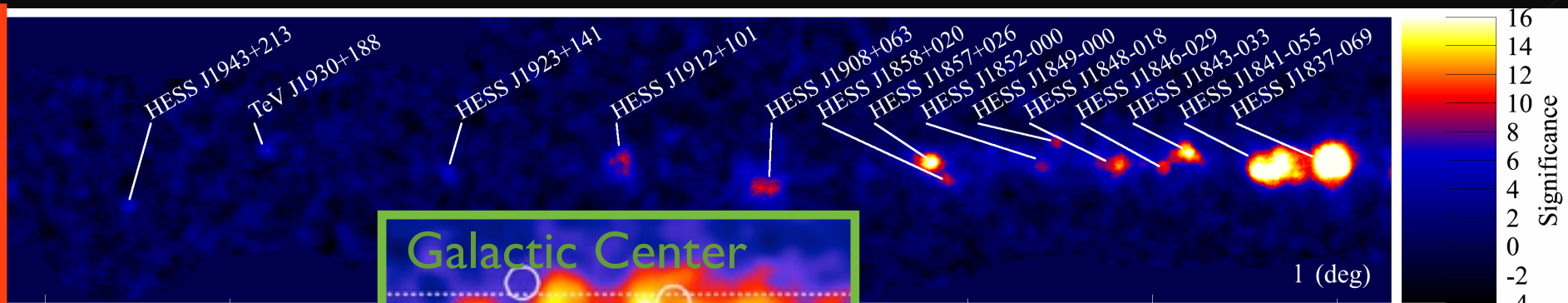
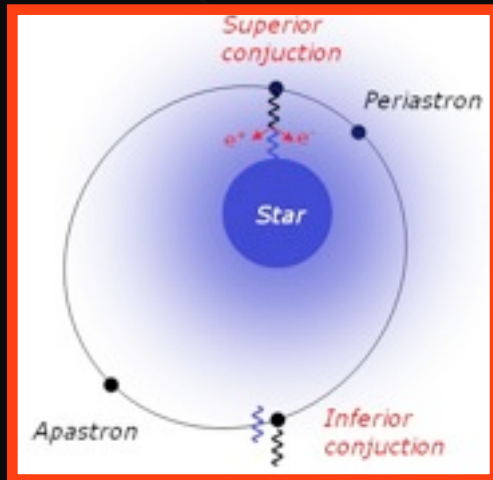


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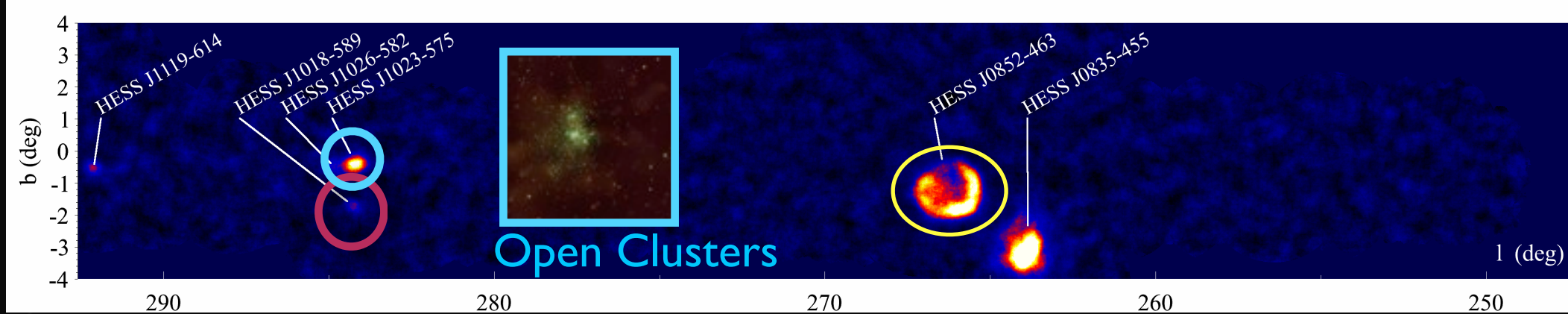
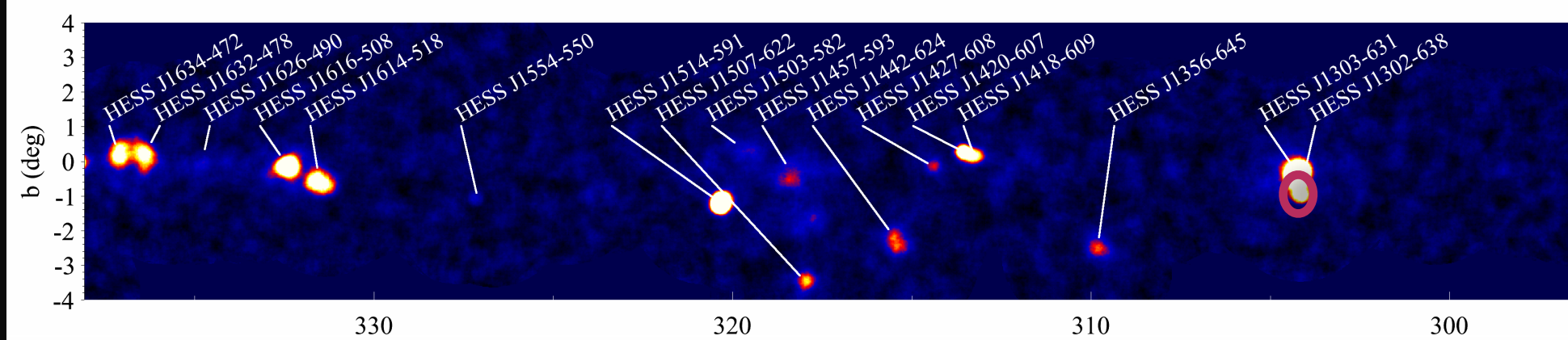
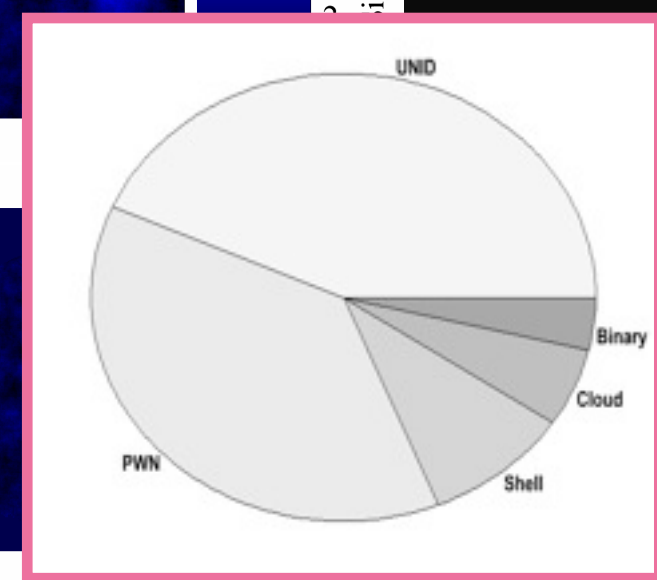
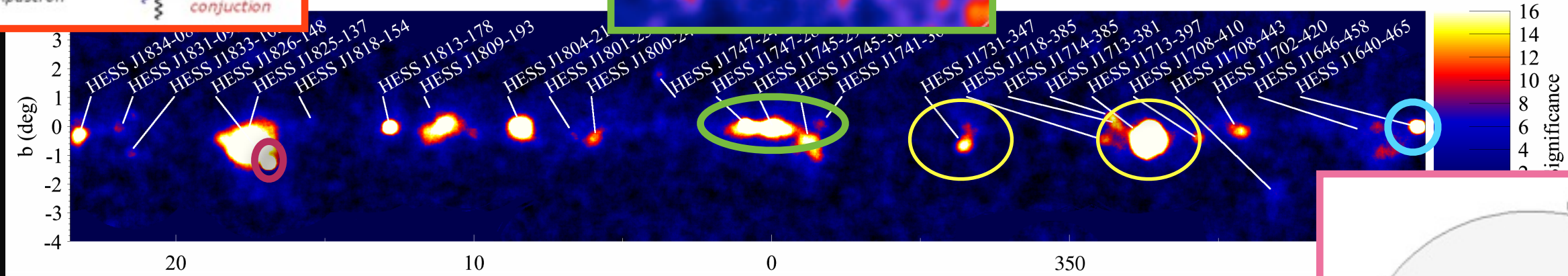
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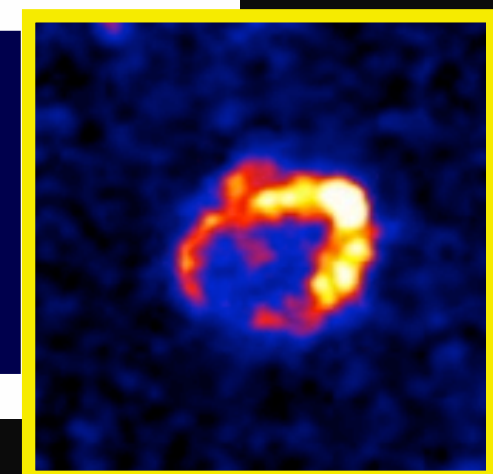
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Plerions/Dark



Open Clusters



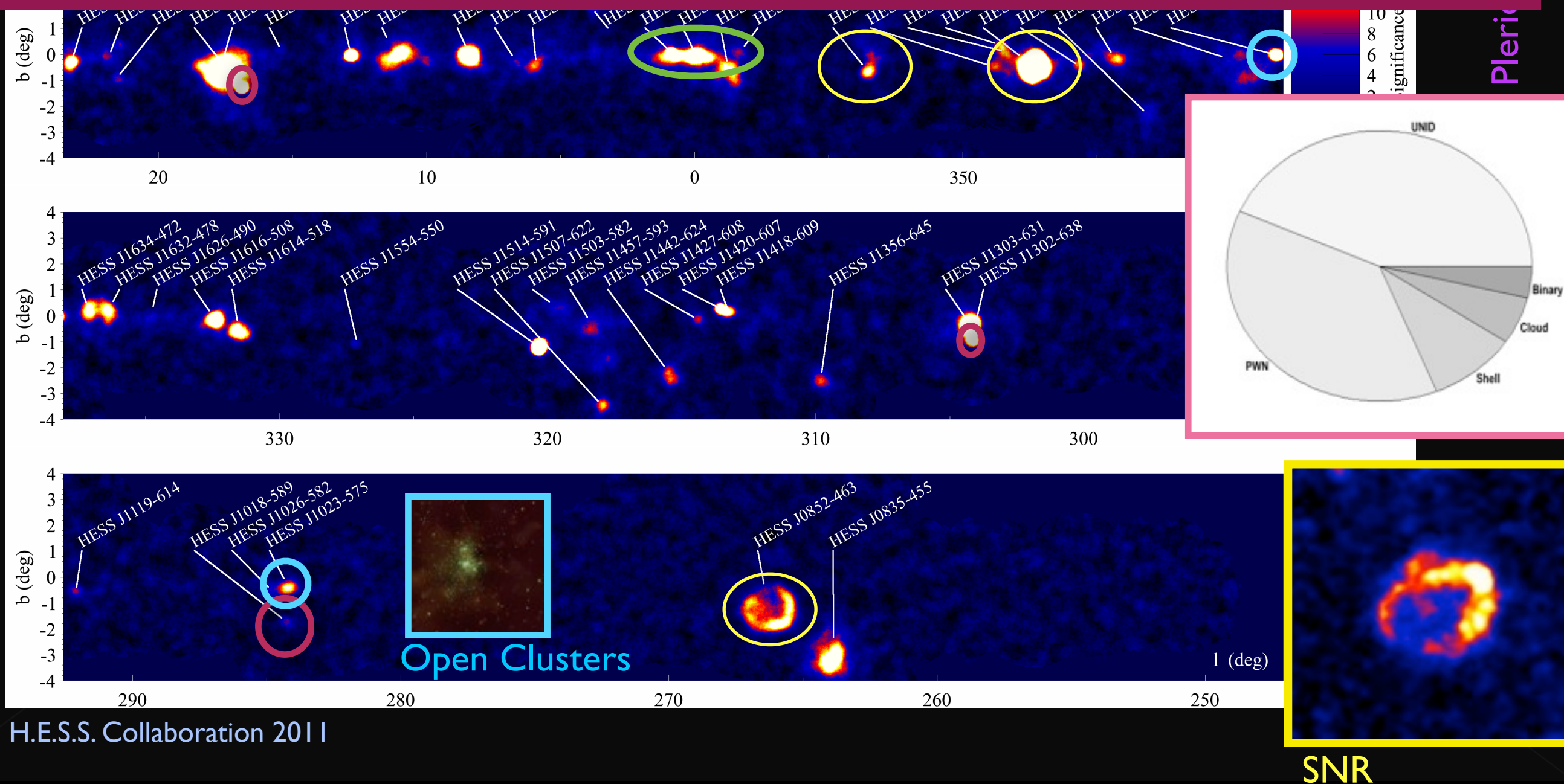
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H.E.S.S. GPS will be soon to be released

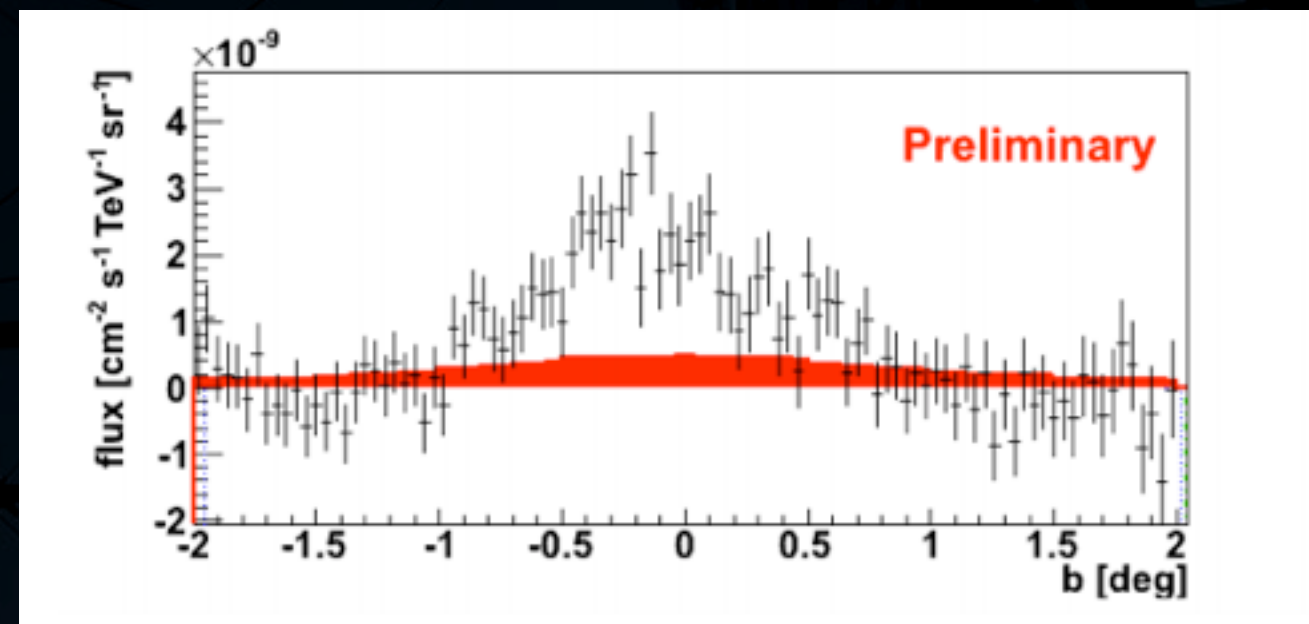
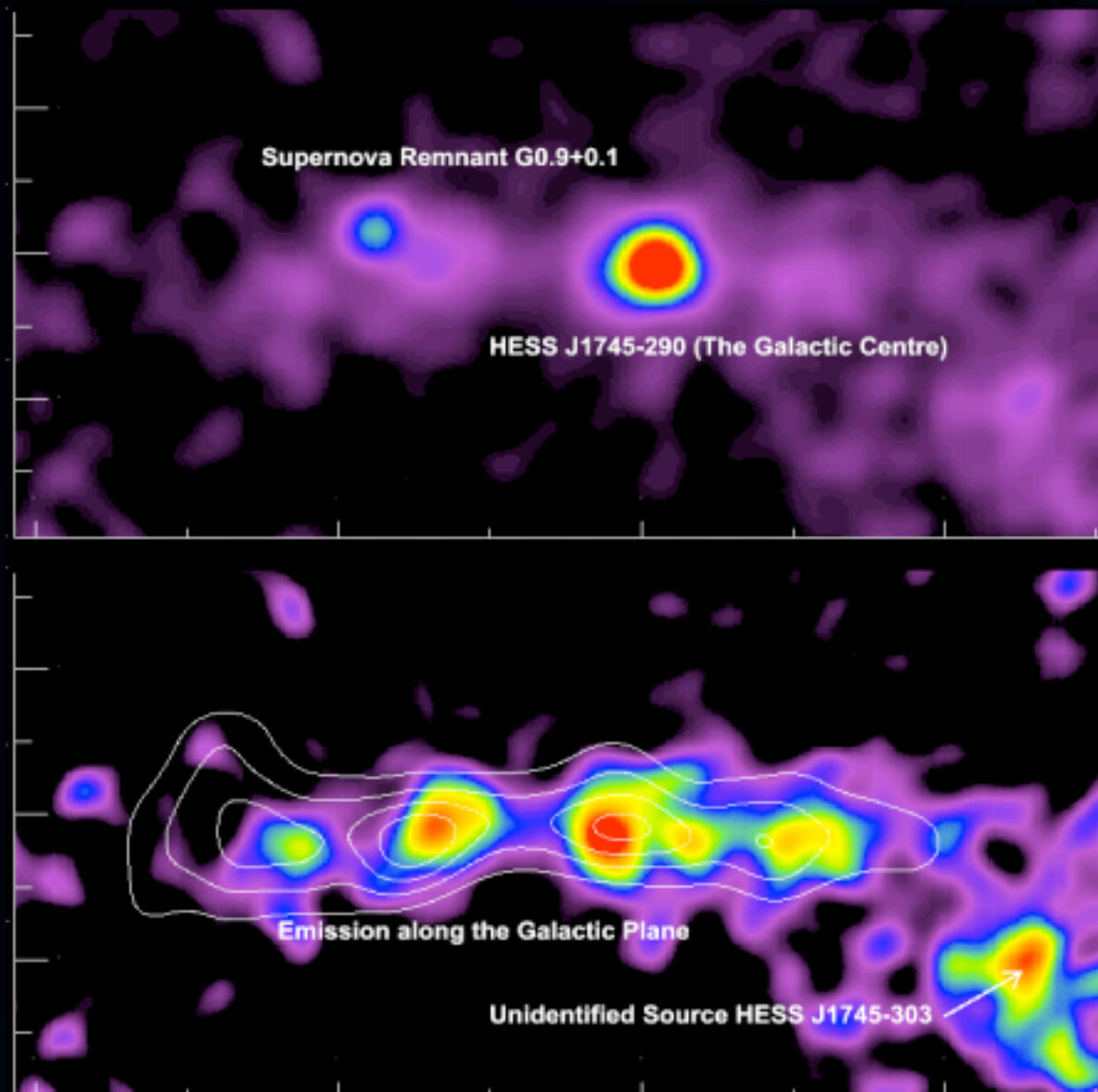
- > Sensitivity, Flux, Excess, Upper limits Maps
- > Source catalogue
- > SNRs and PWNe population studies



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Galactic Diffuse Emission

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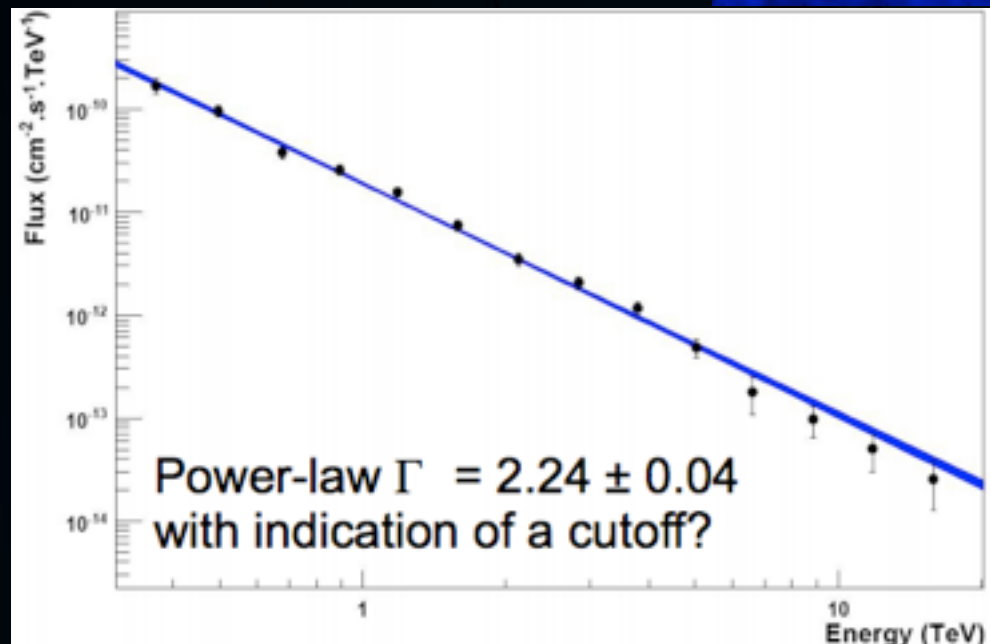
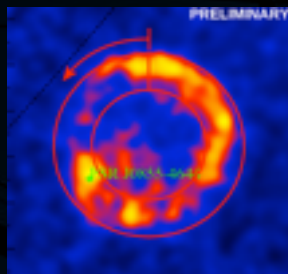
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HESS: Aharonian et al., 2006, 2007

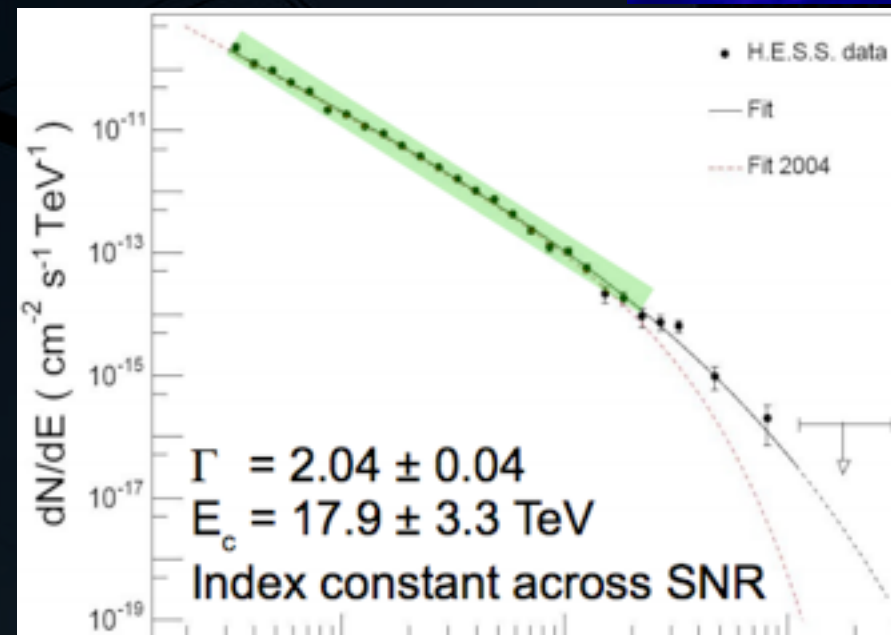
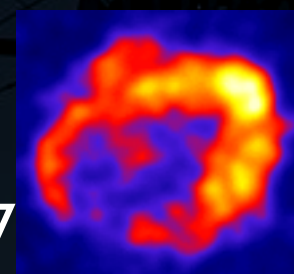
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- Many SNRs detected and well-study at lower energy ranges (evolution, magnetic fields, composition, etc....)
- Galactic CR luminosity = $L_{CR} \sim 10^{41}$ erg/s $\rightarrow \eta_{CR} \sim 0.1 \times (R_{SN}/0.03 \text{ yr}^{-1}) \times (10^{51} \text{ erg}/E_{SN})$
- Why is it important to observe SNRs at VHE
 - > VHE trace the particle distribution, independently of the magnetic field
 - > Origin of Cosmic Rays! \rightarrow direct evidence for GeV-PeV (e,p) being accelerated at front shocks
- Direct observation of the known shells seems to elude PeV particles

Vela Jr



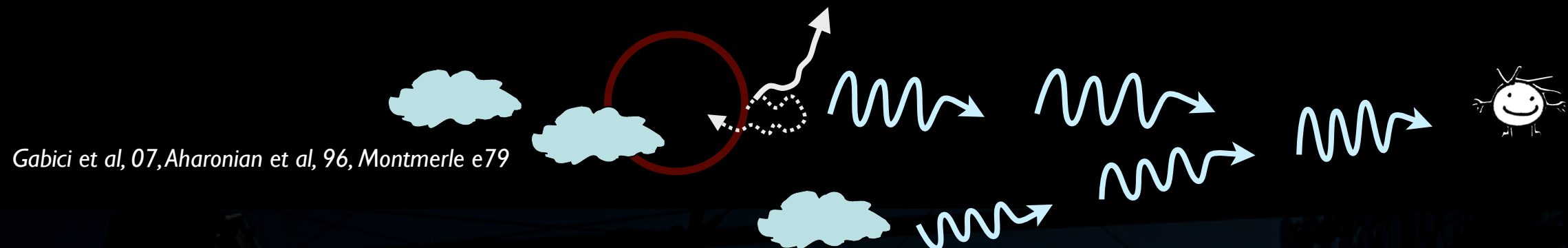
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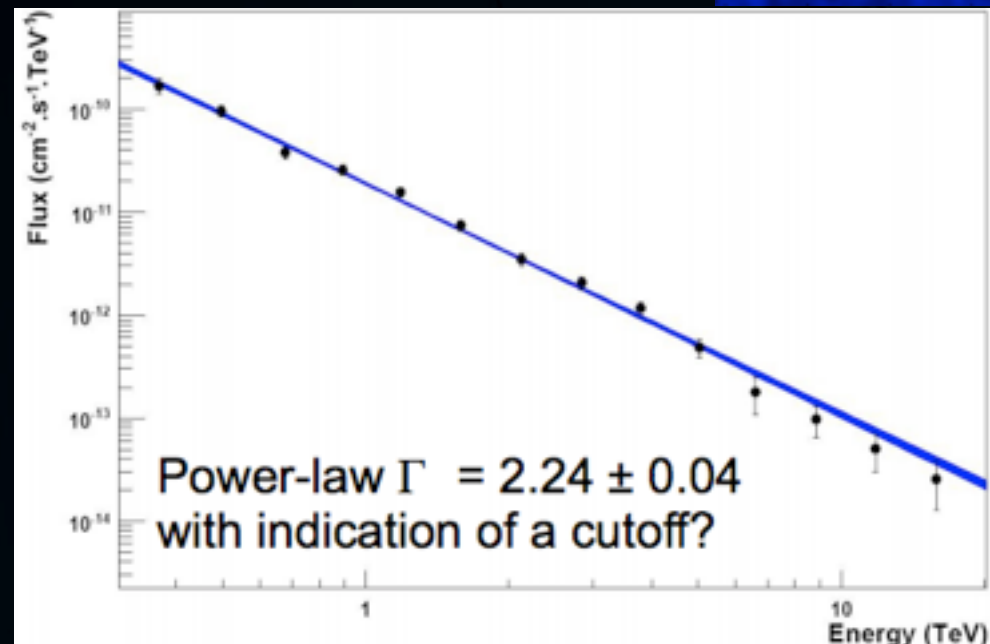
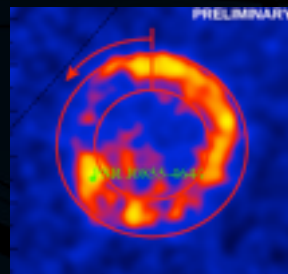
BUT! PeV particles are believed to be accelerated at the beginning of Sedov phase (~ 200 yrs), when the shock speed is high!

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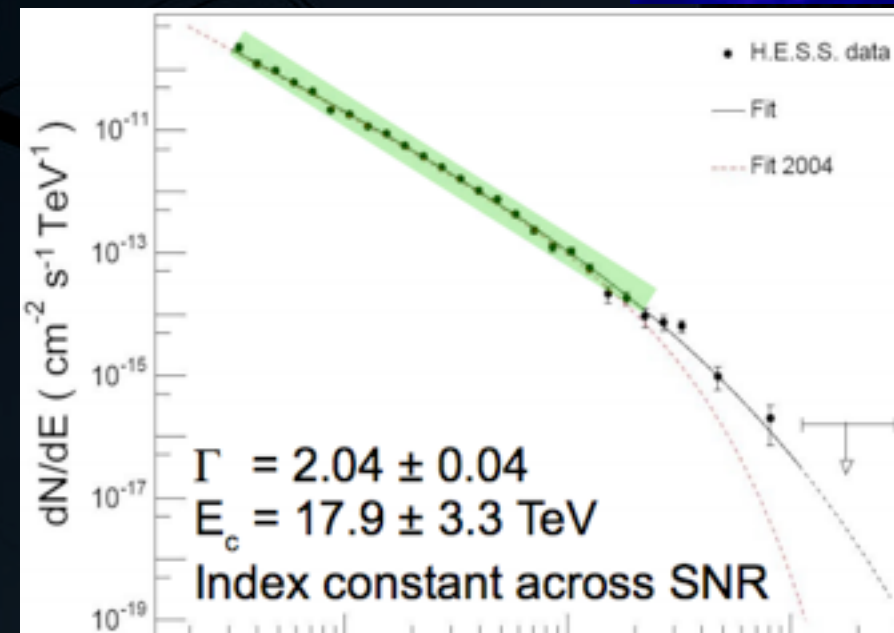
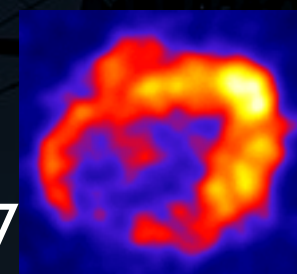


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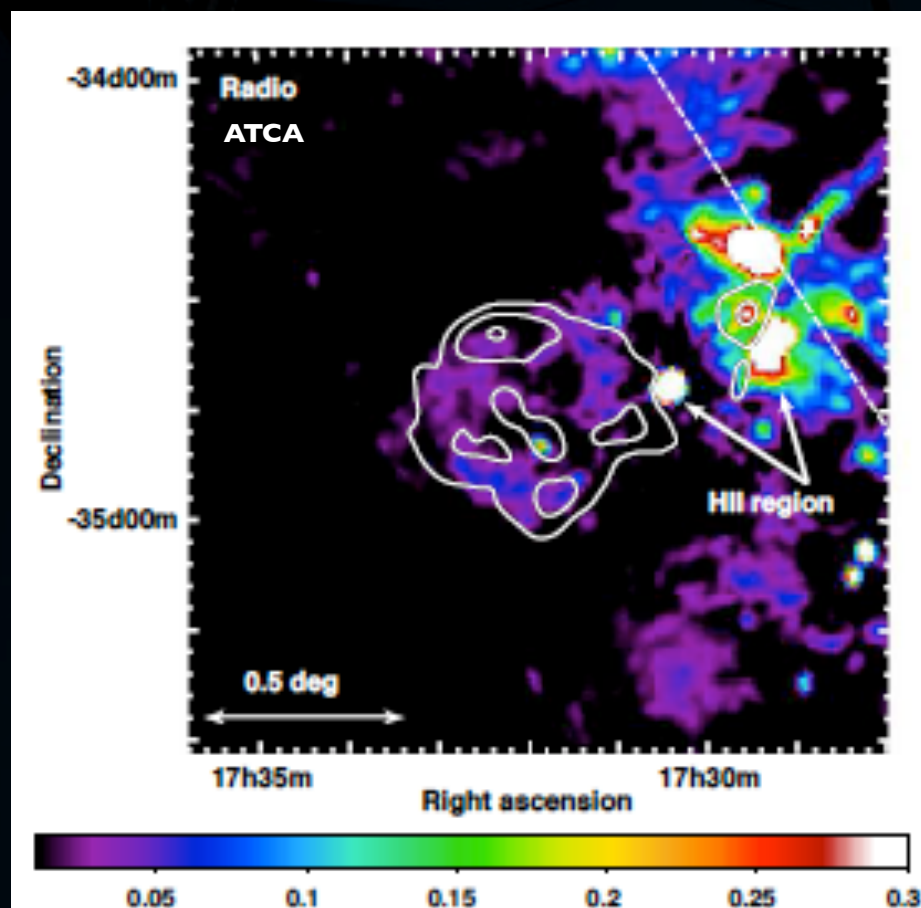
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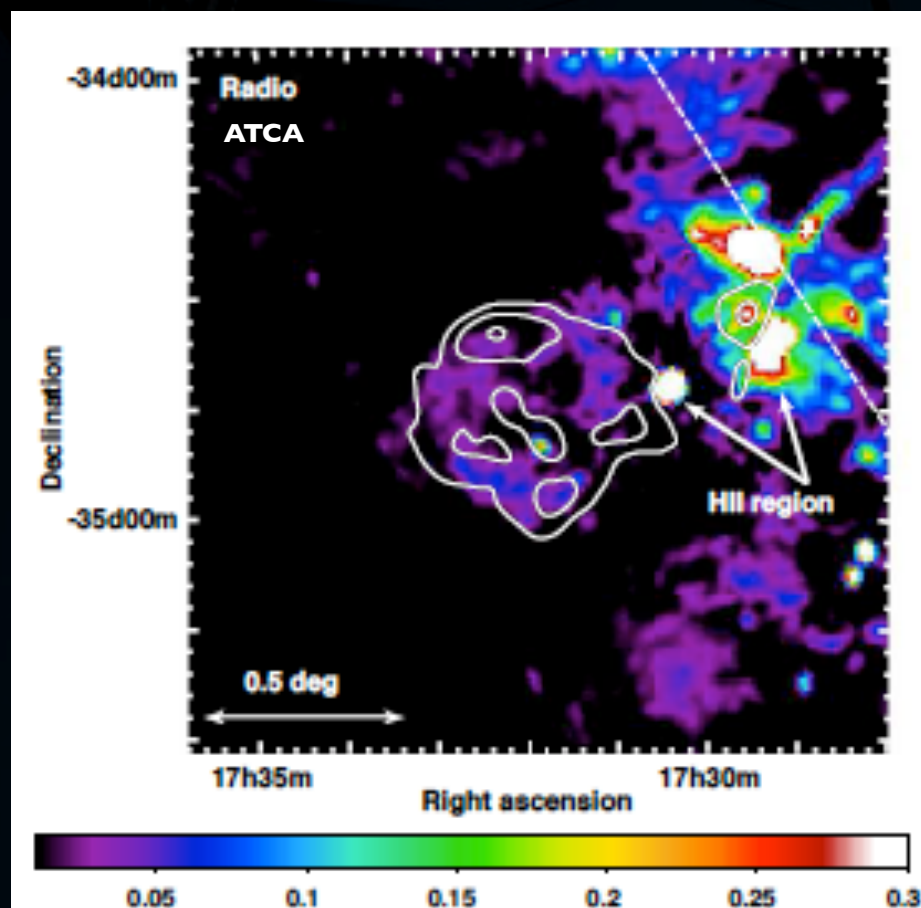


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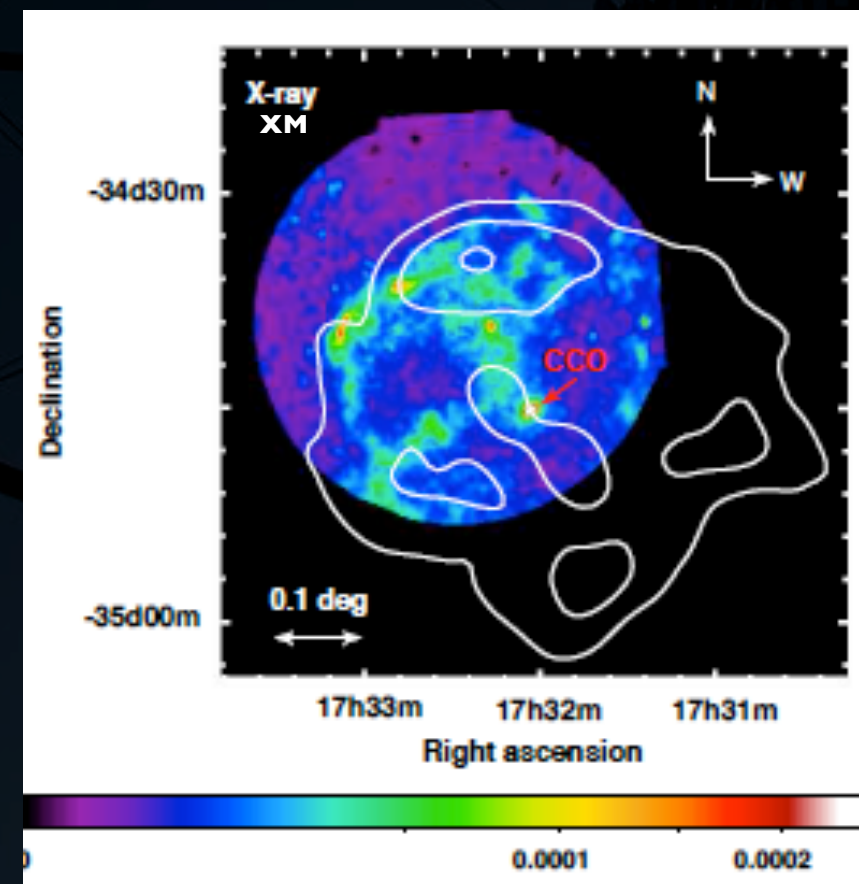
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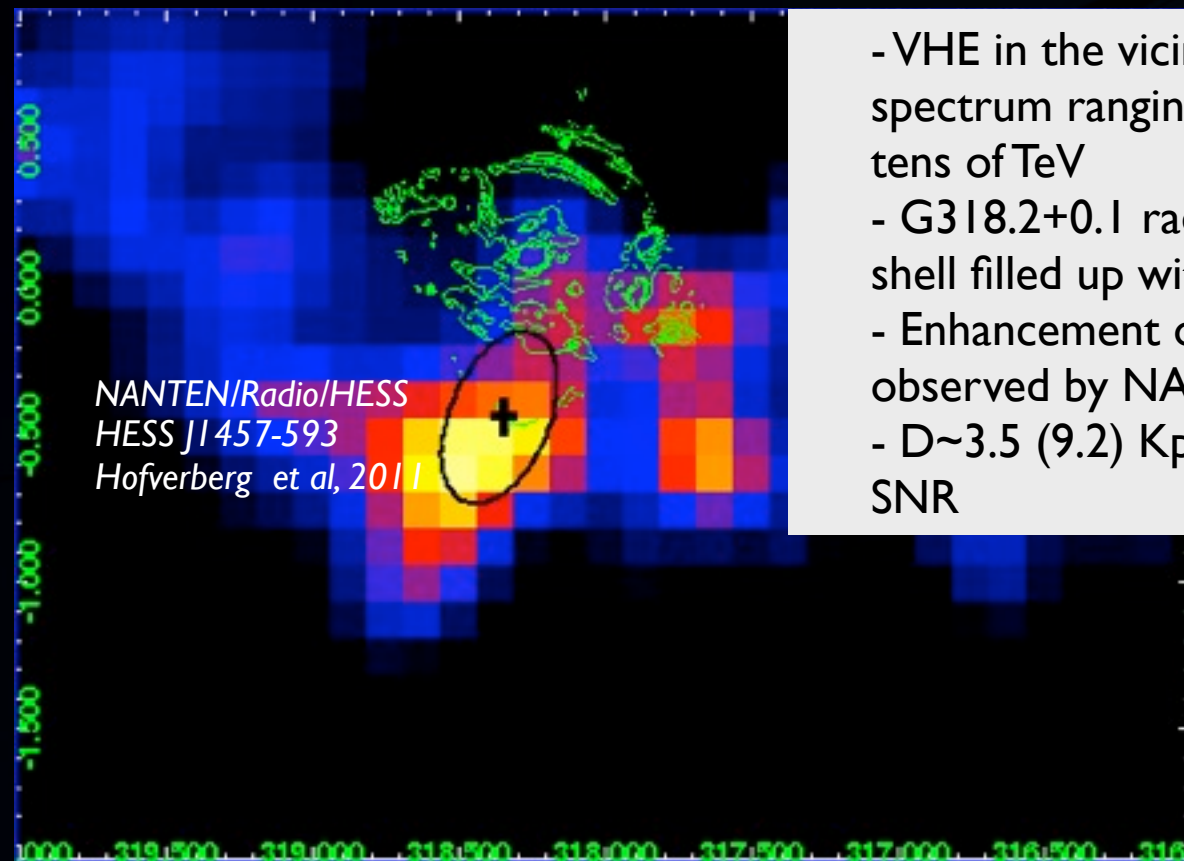


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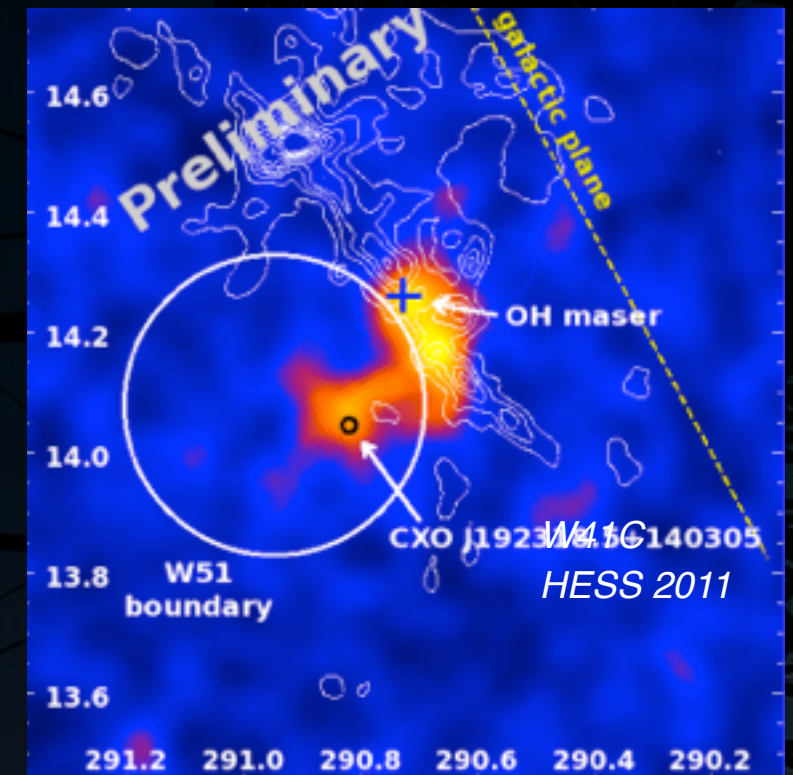
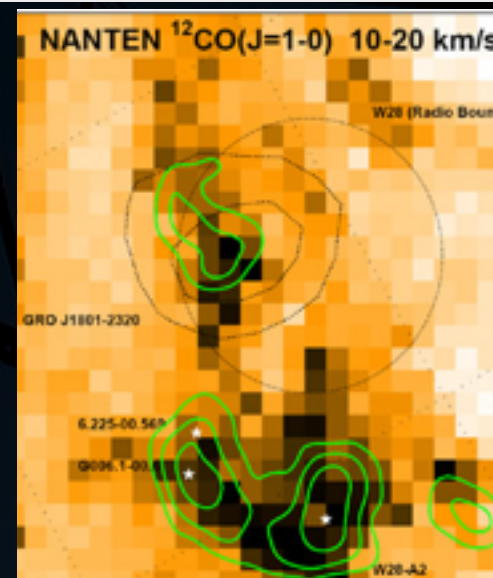
Source Type: Supernova Remnants in dense environment

- Large number of SNRs interacting with Molecular Clouds detected at lower energies by Fermi
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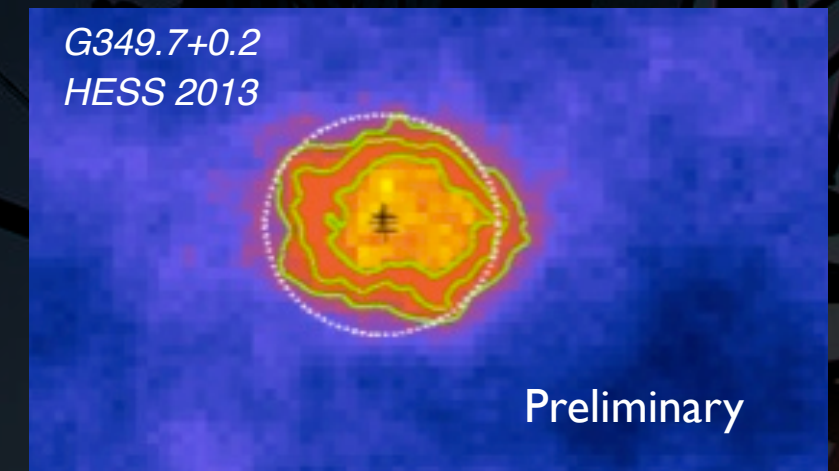


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- G318.2+0.1 radio bright North and South shell filled up with thermal emission
- Enhancement of Molecular Content observed by NANTEN and with Fermi LAT
- D~3.5 (9.2) Kpc -> 50 pc if related to the SNR

W28
Aharonian et al, 2007



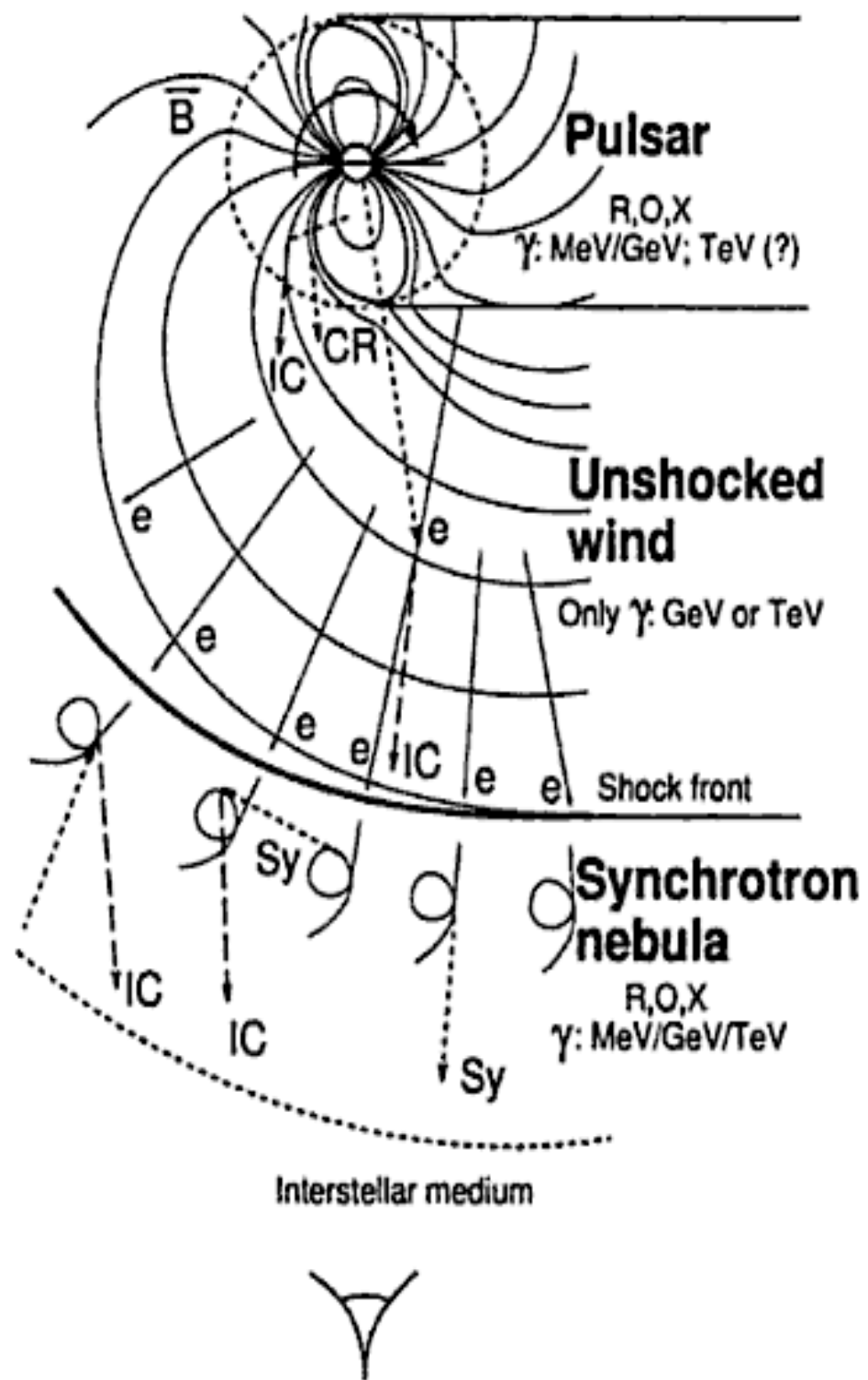
G349.7+0.2
HESS 2013



- G349.7+0.2, 0.4% Crab : d=22 Kpc! interacting with $1e4$ Mo cloud ($L \sim 2e33$ erg/s)
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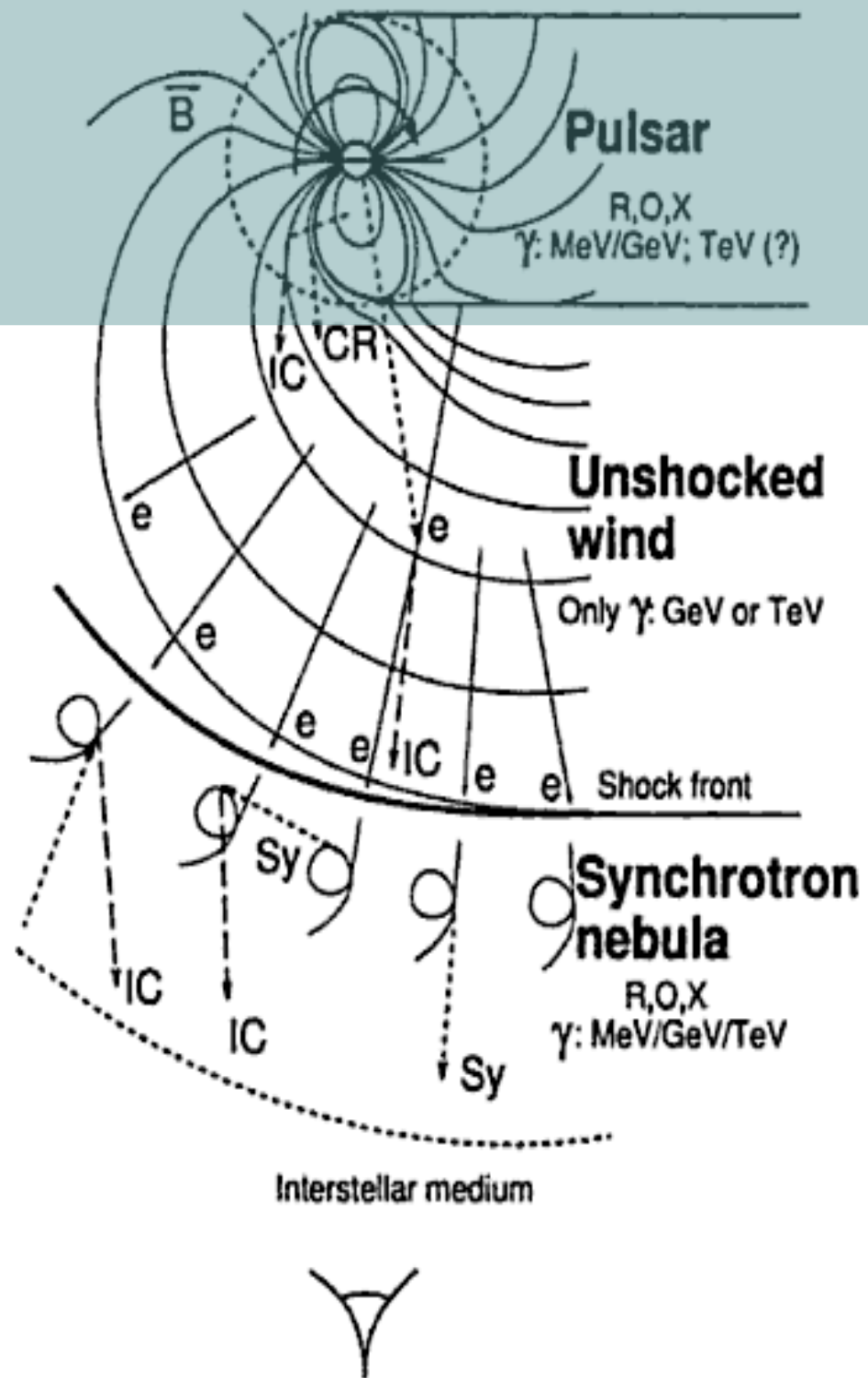
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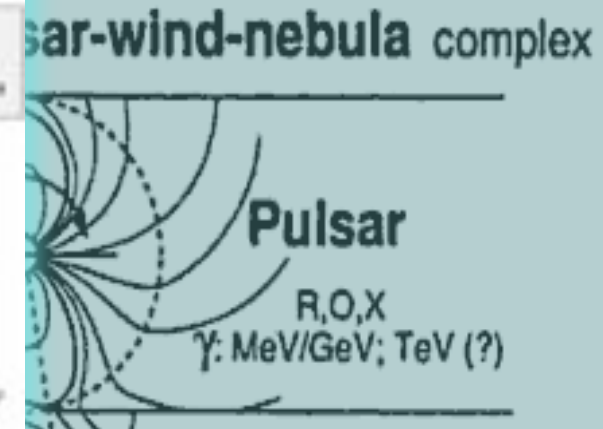
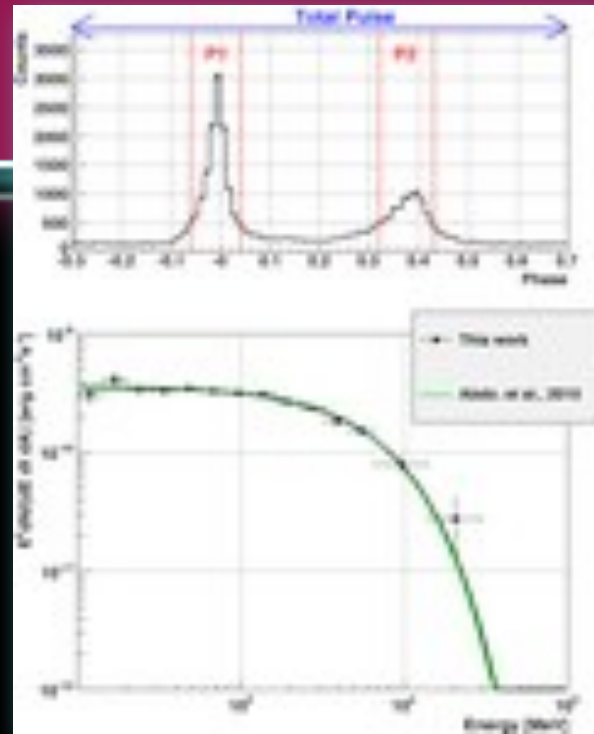
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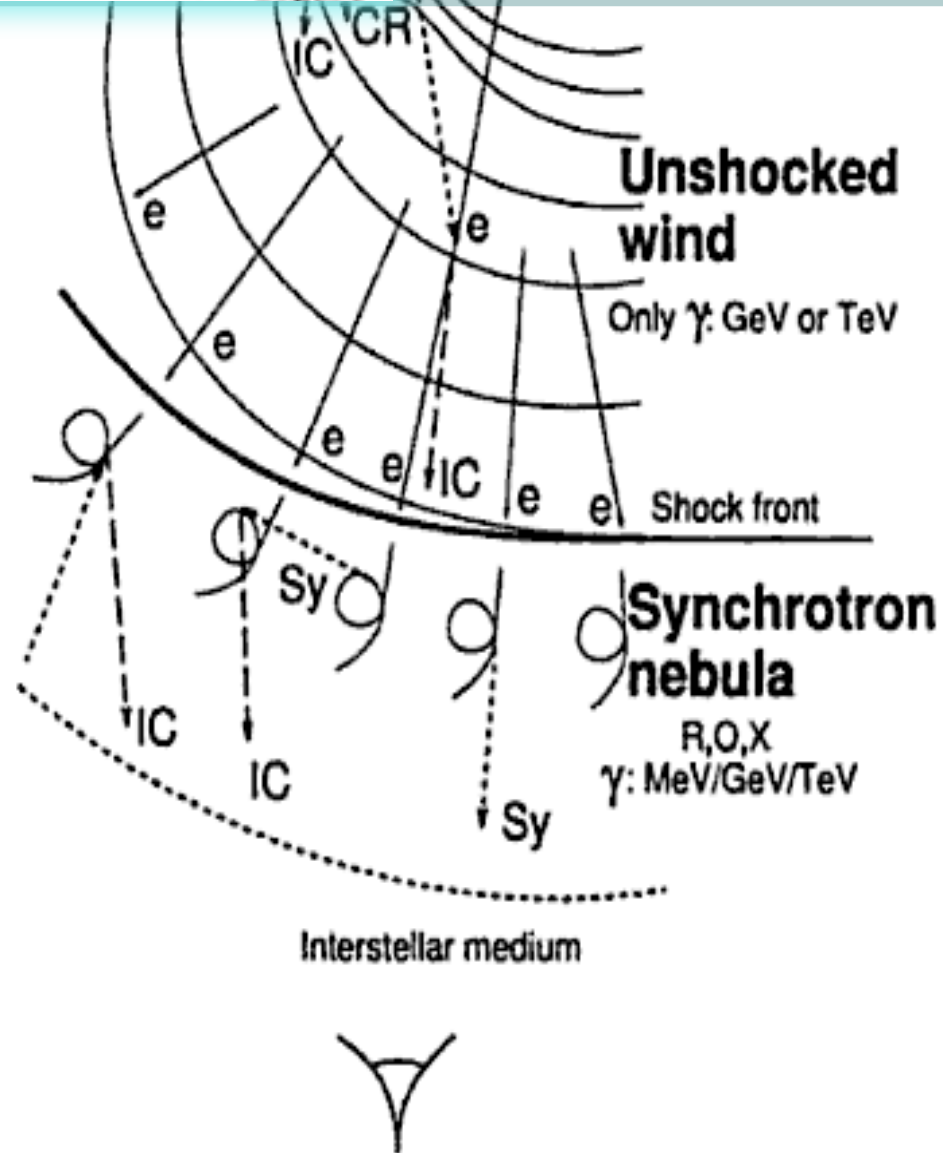


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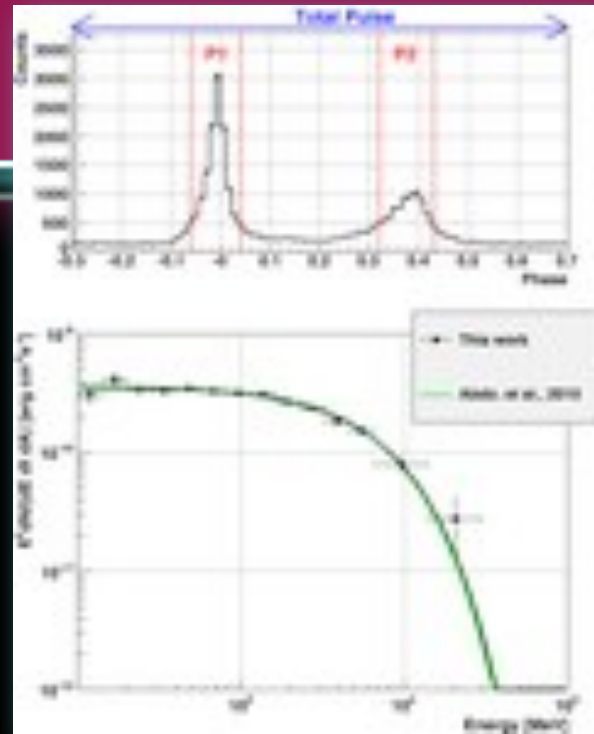
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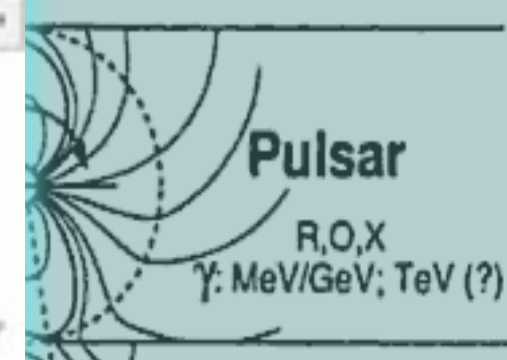
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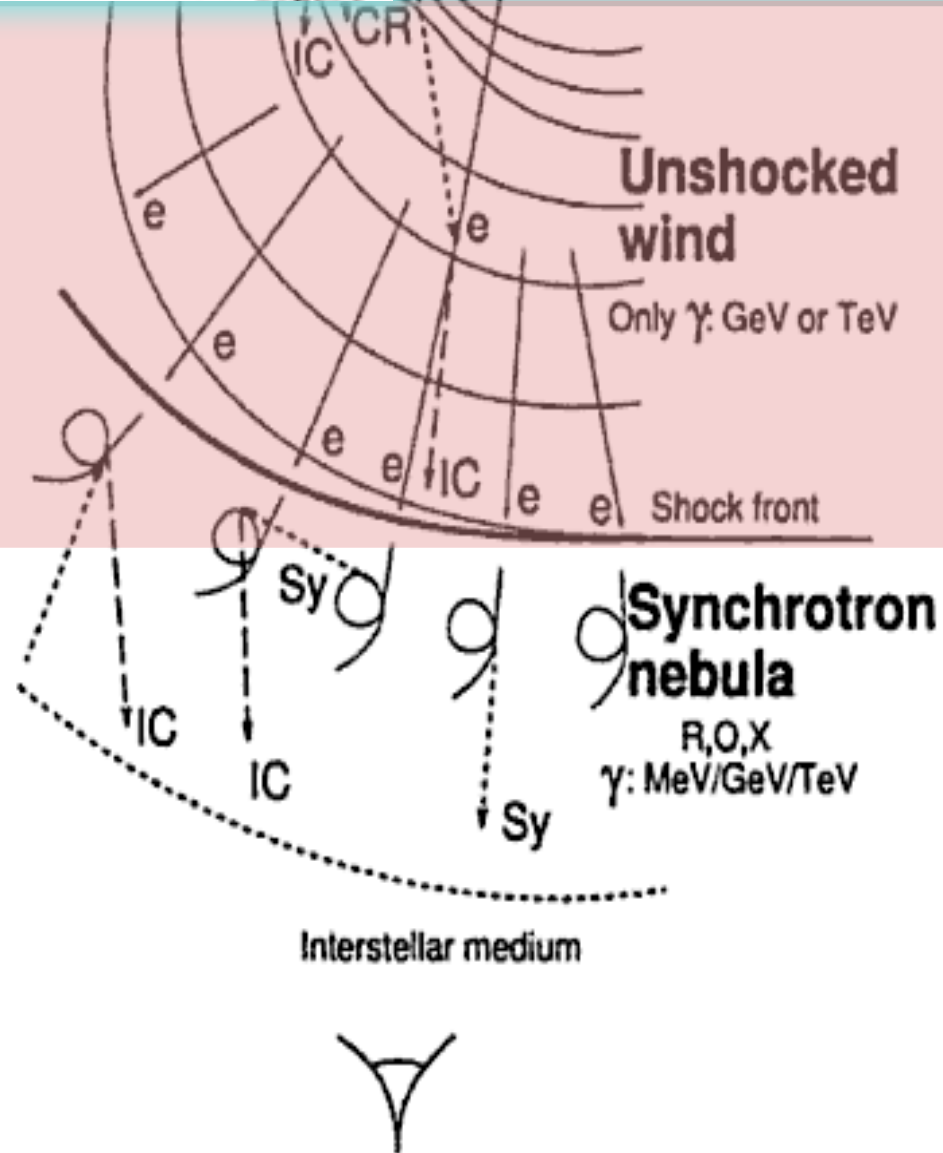


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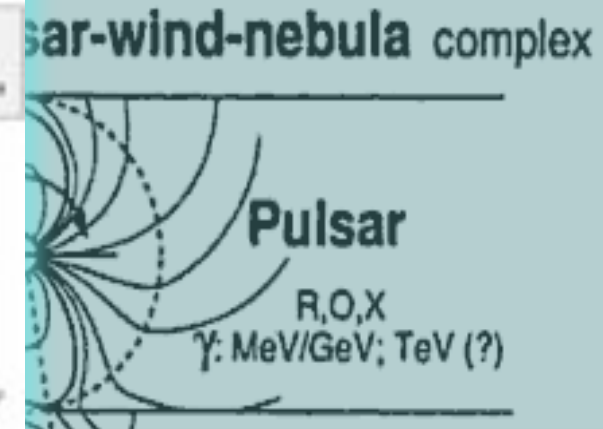
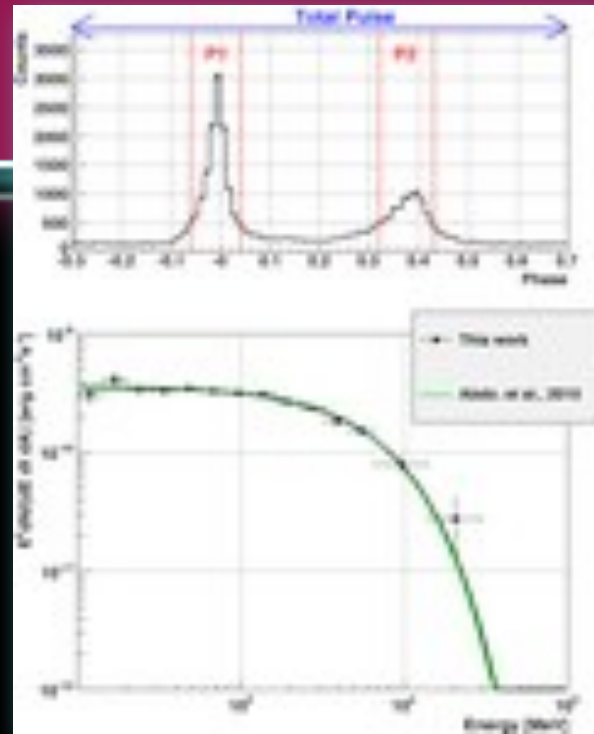


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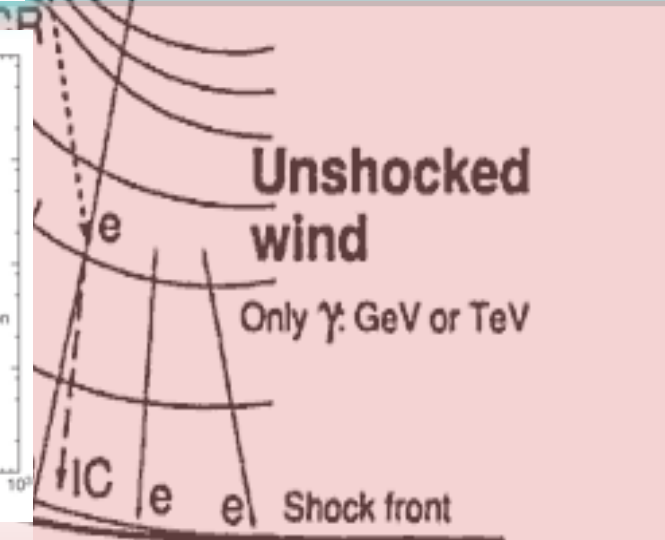
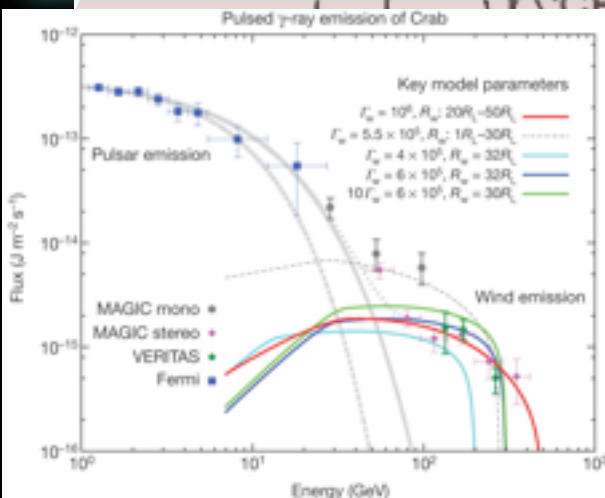
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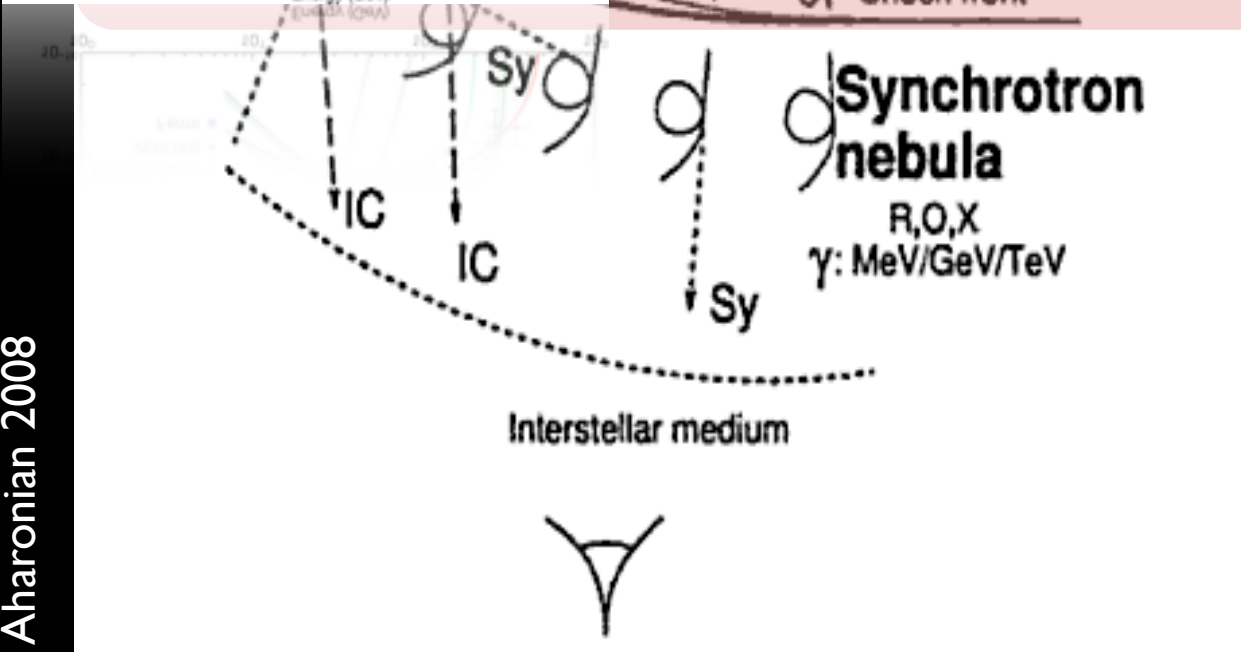
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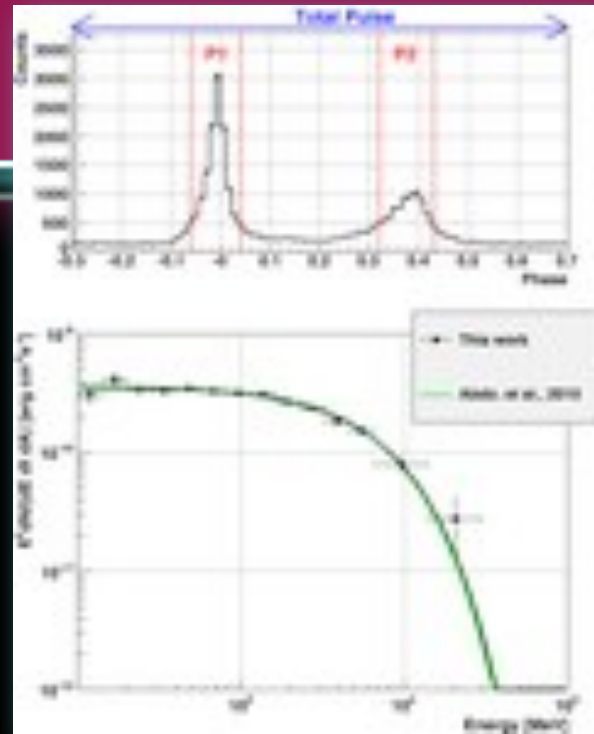
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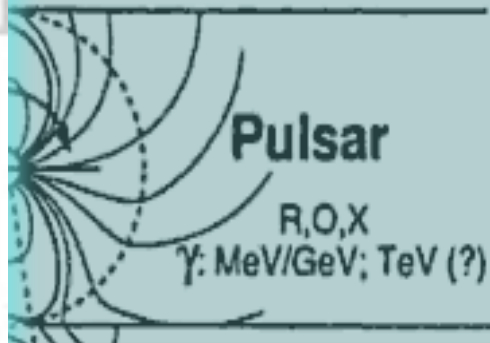
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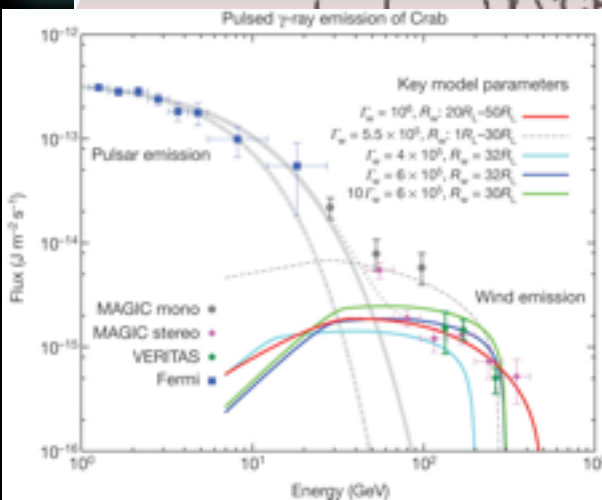
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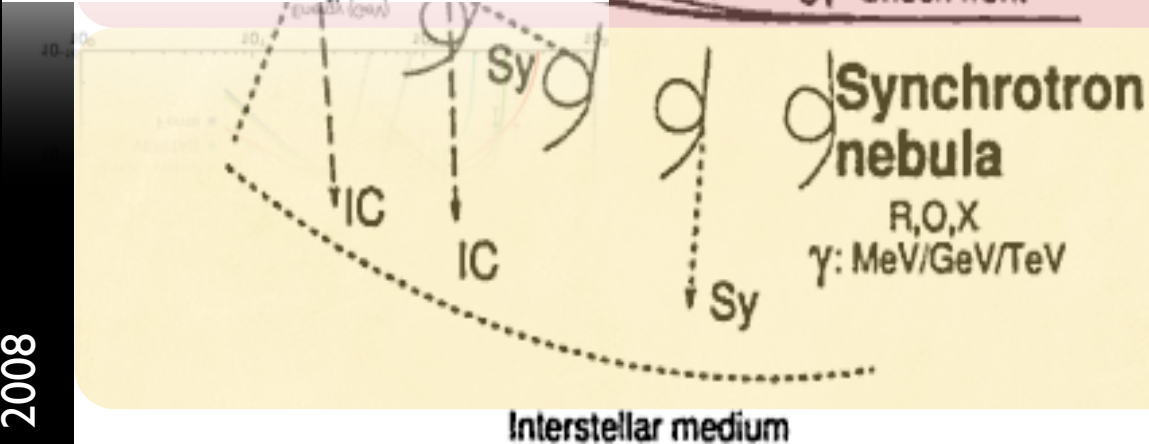


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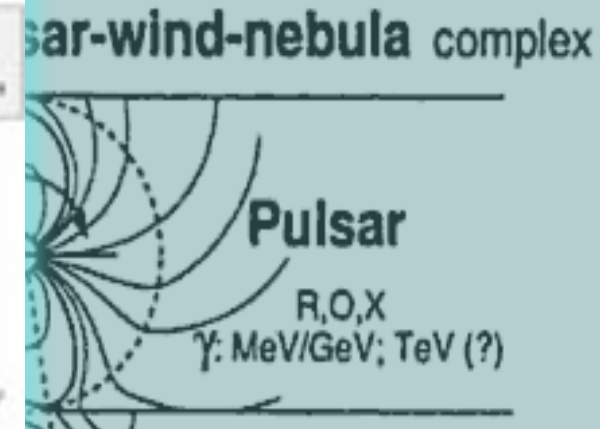
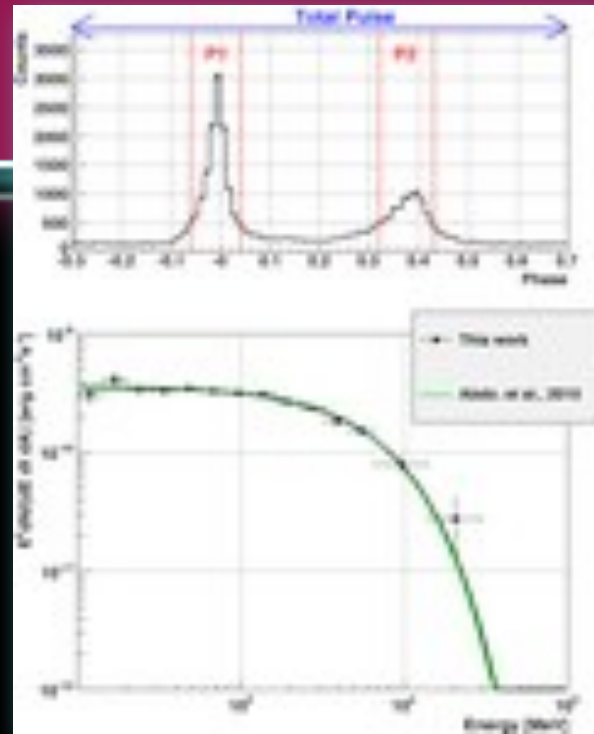
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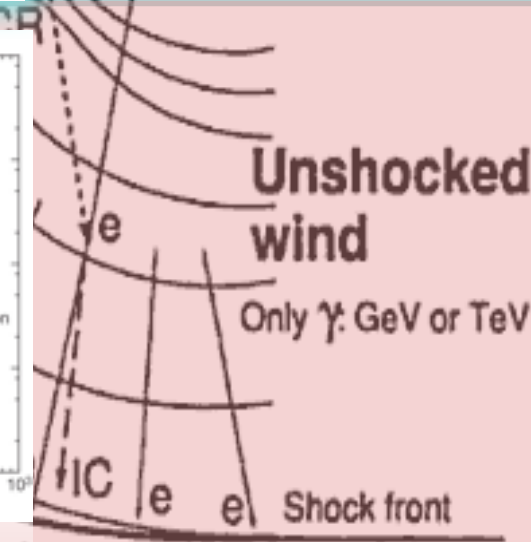
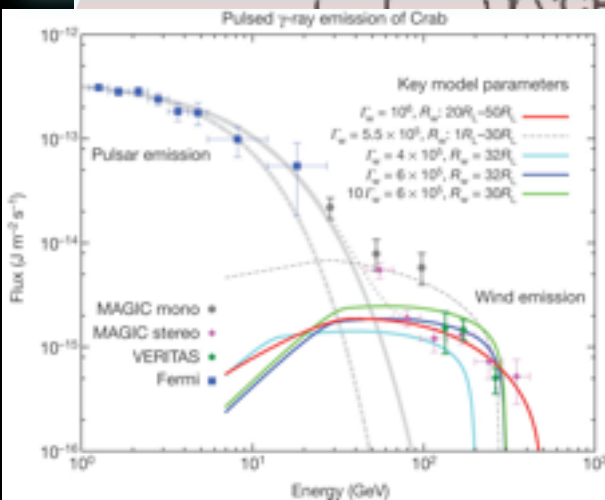


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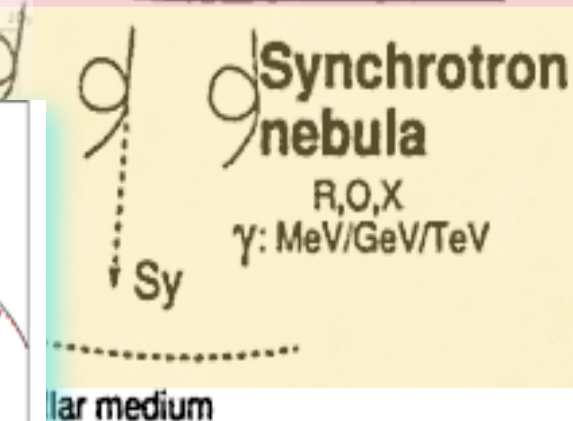
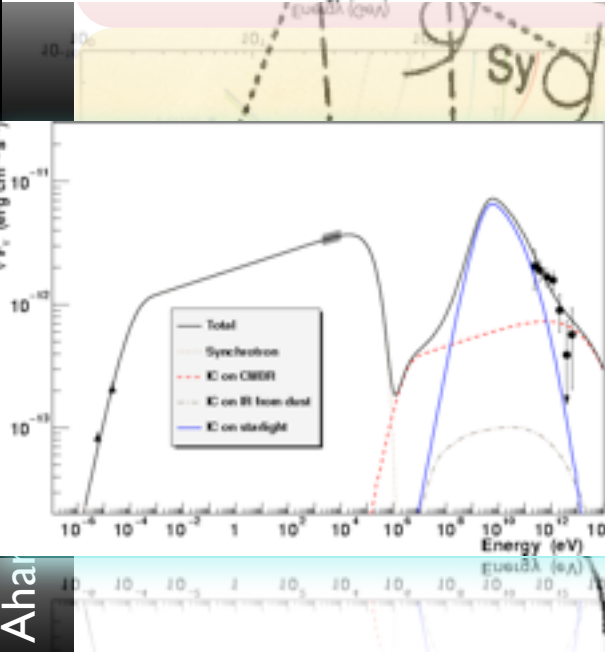
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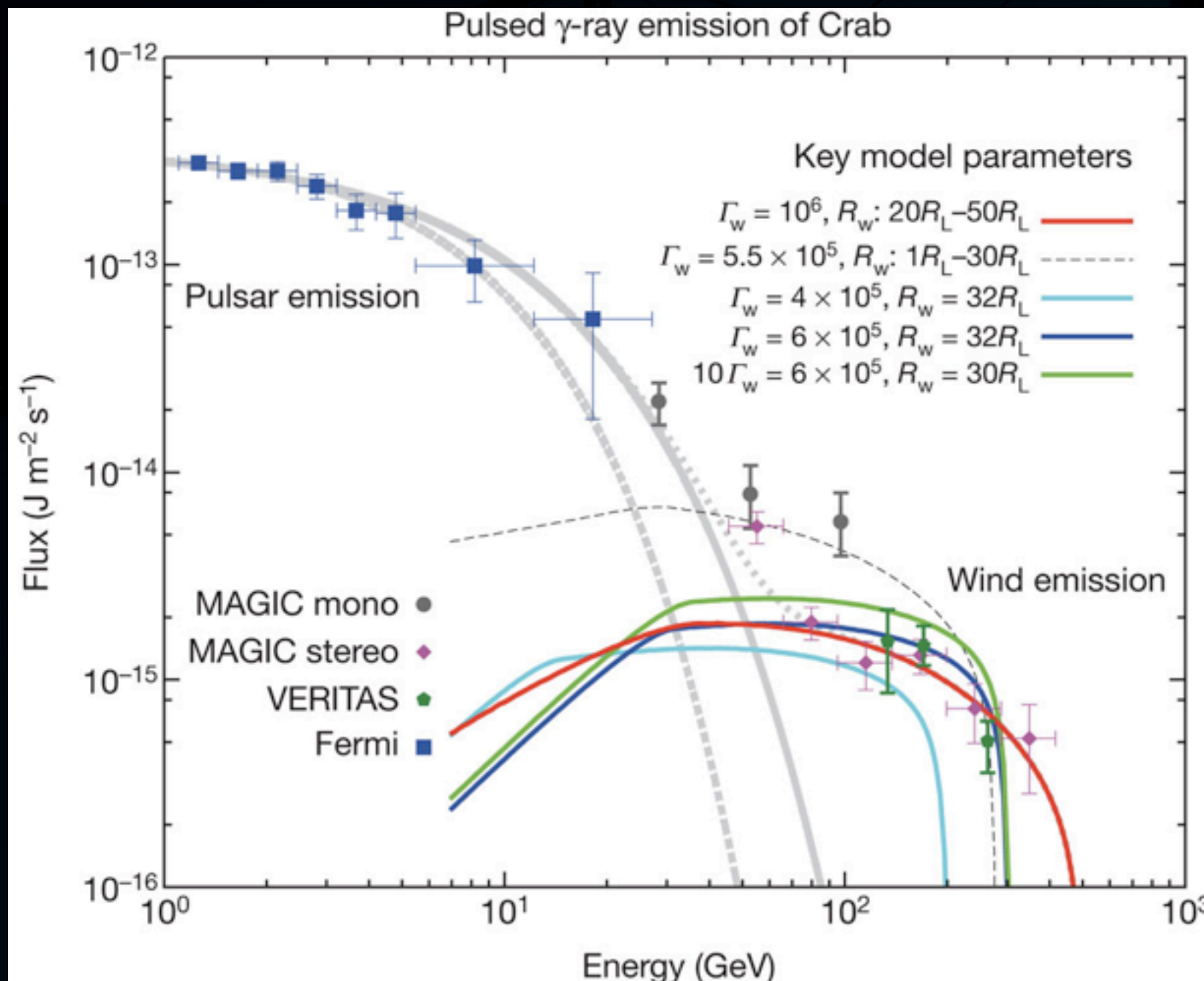
Pulsed emission at VHE

Two explanation proposed:

- SSC from secondary electron-positron pairs created in the magnetosphere
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Hirotsu, 2012

Aharonian, 2012



Veritas & MAGIC Collaborations, 2011

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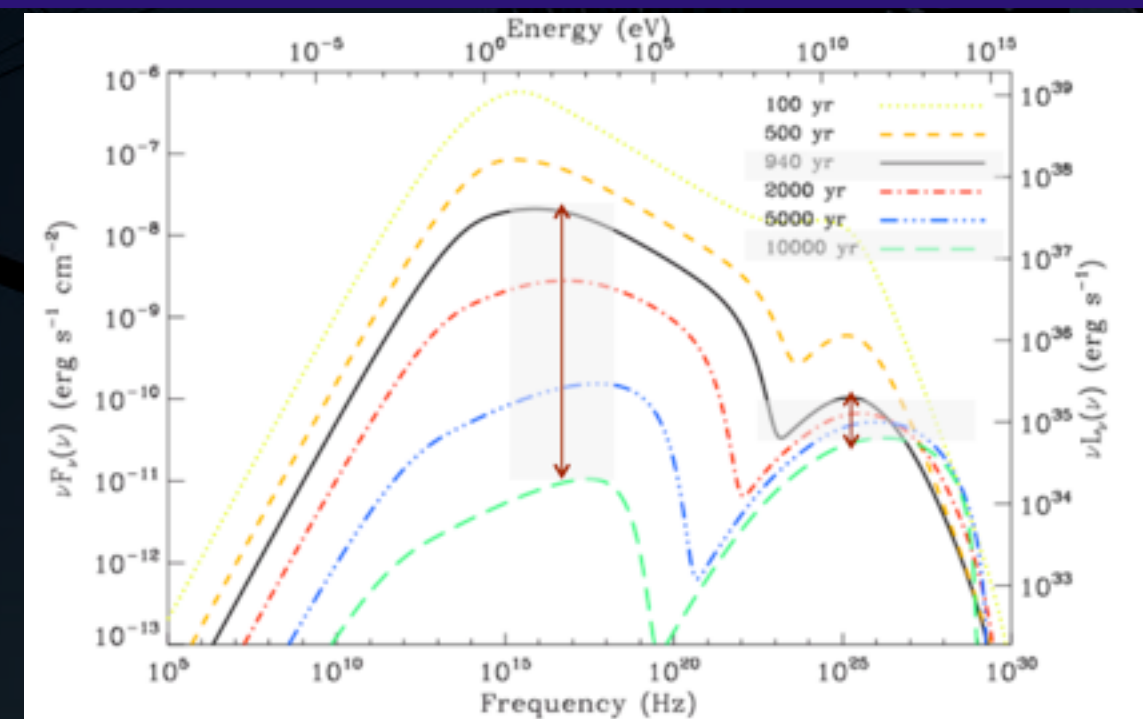
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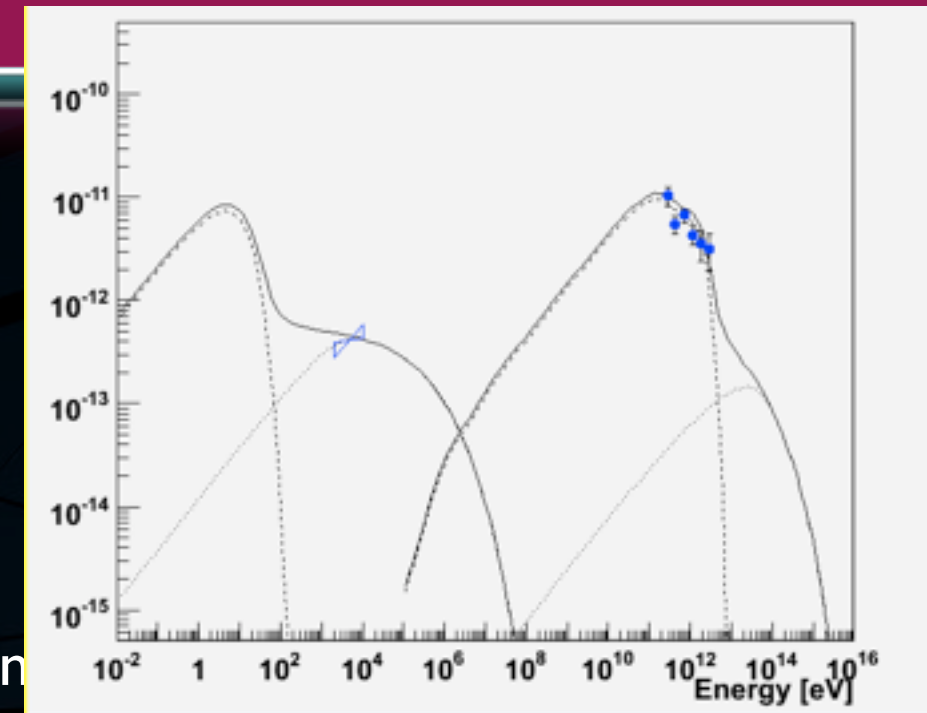
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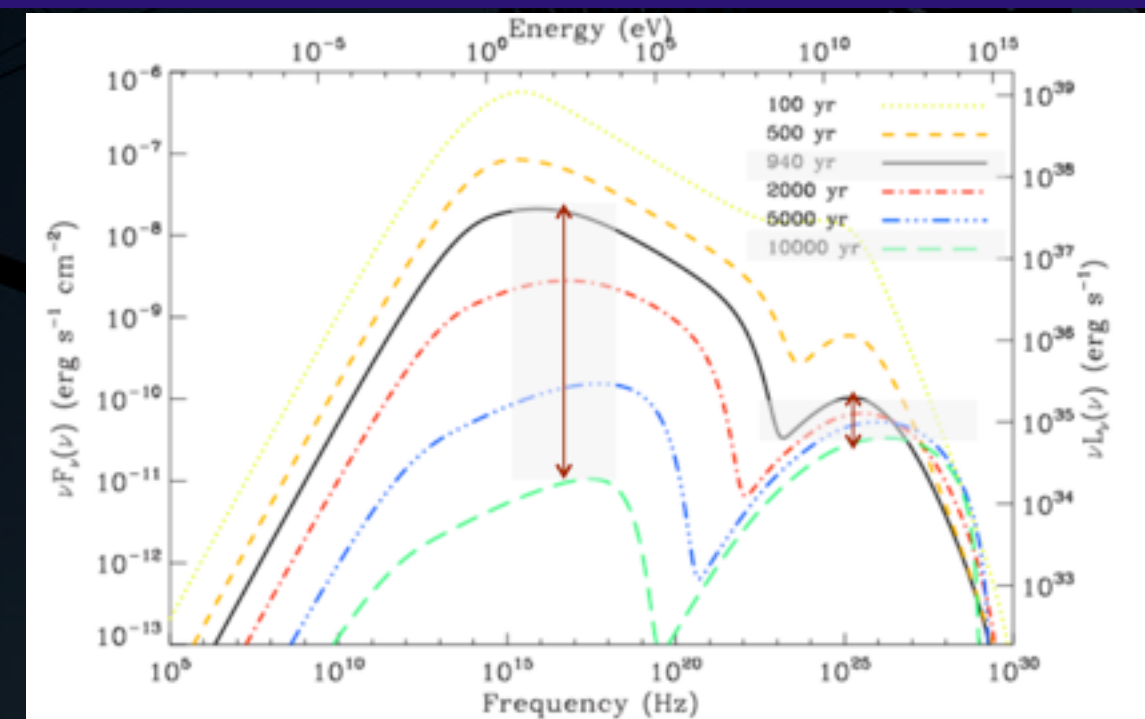
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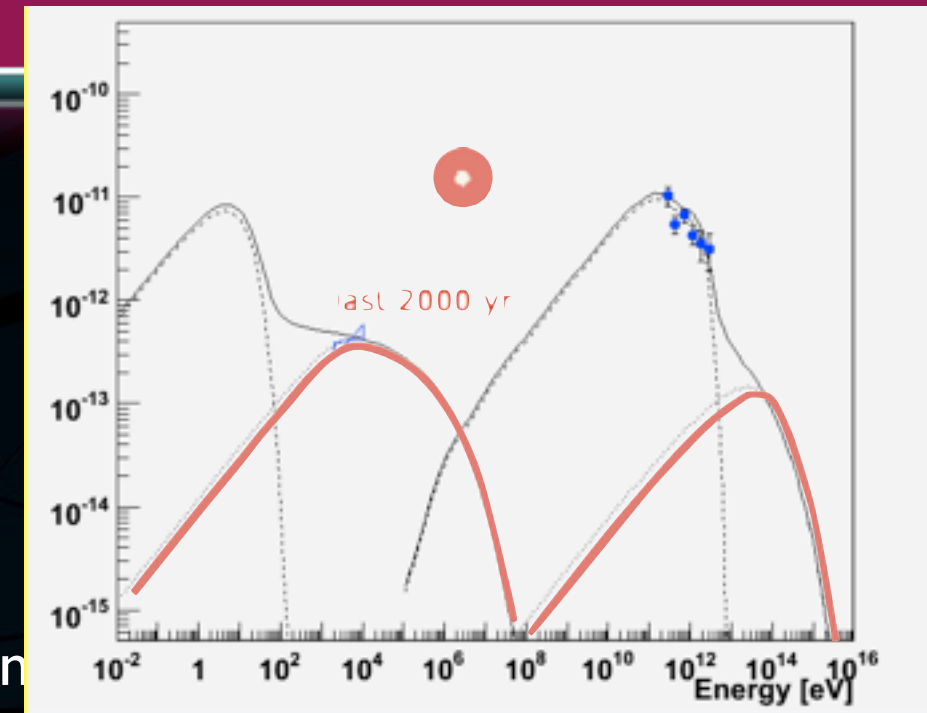
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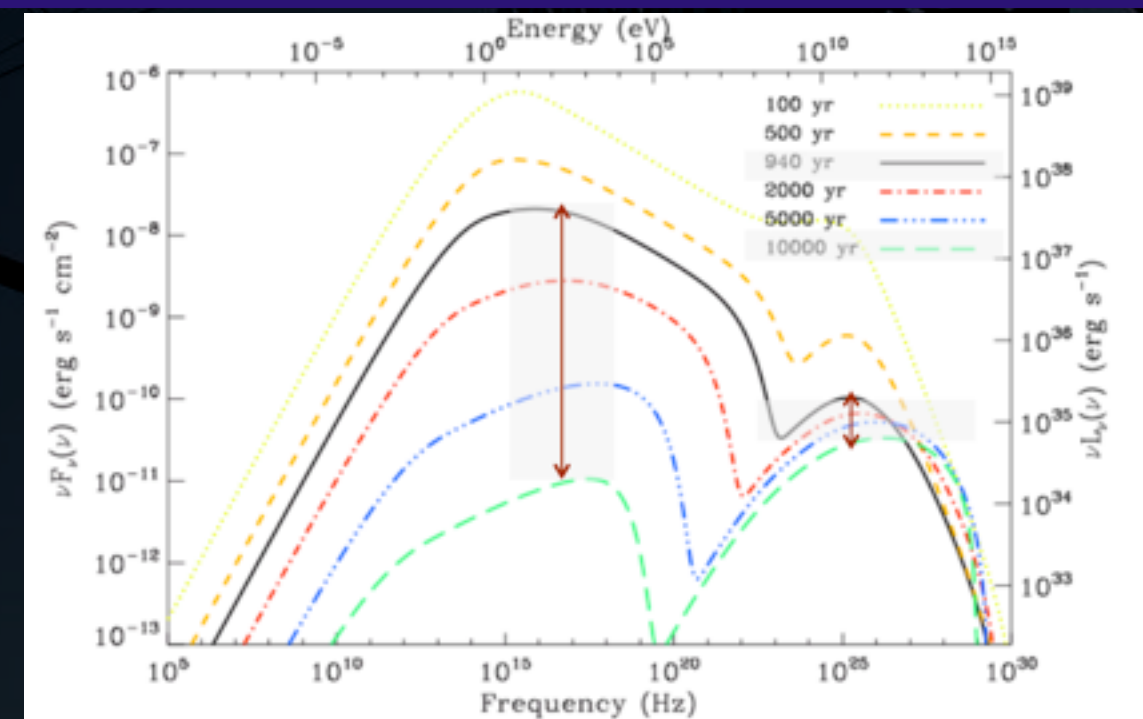
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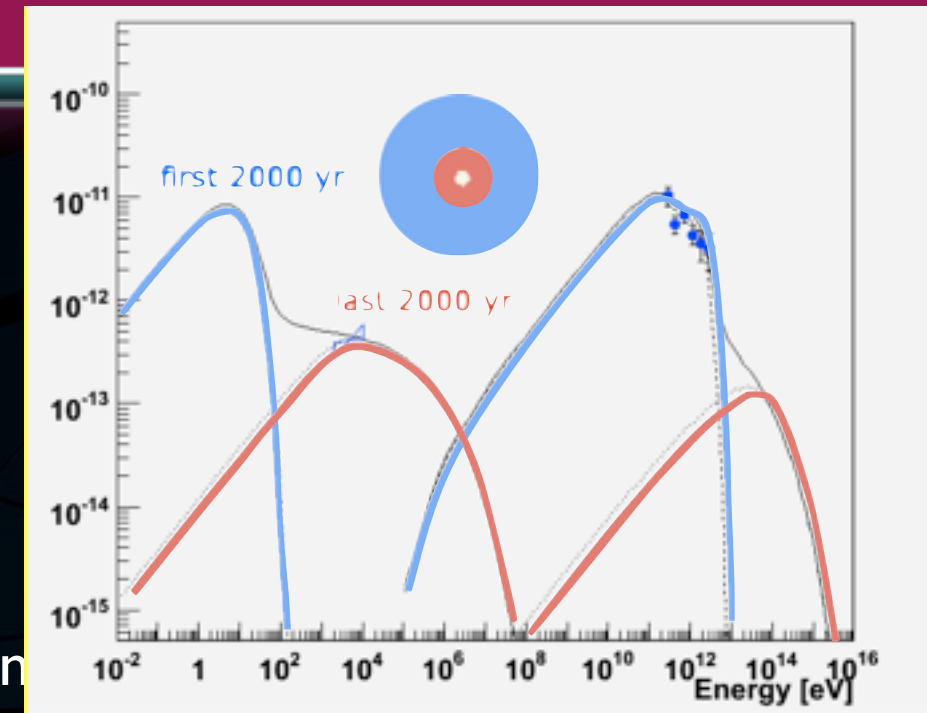
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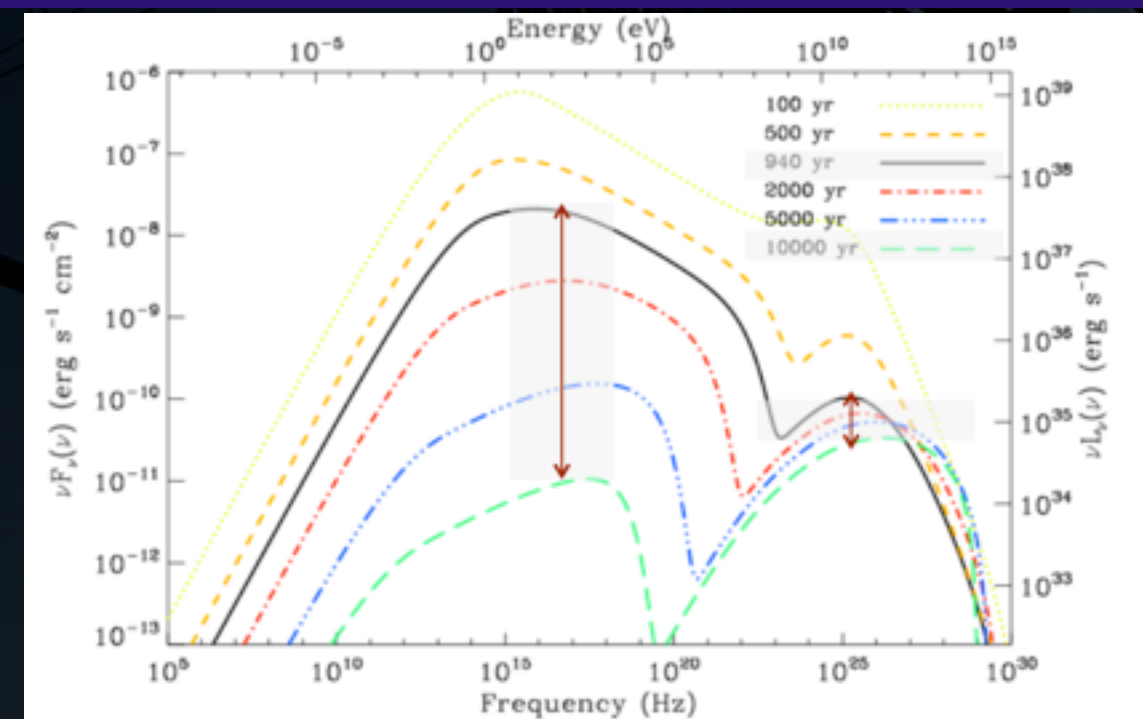
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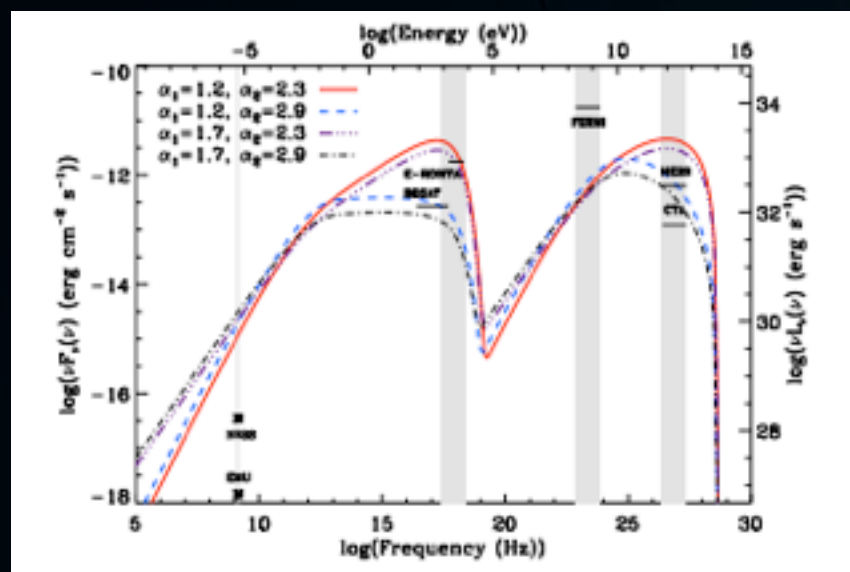
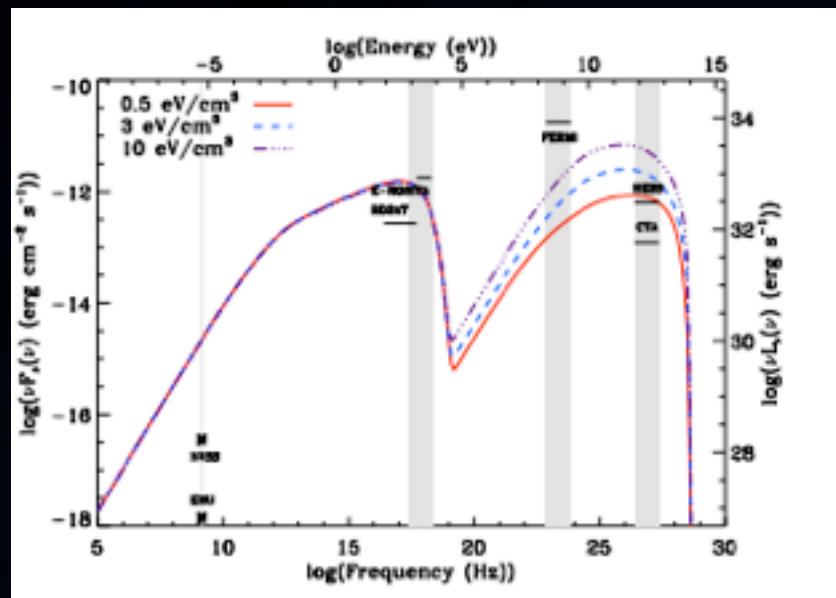


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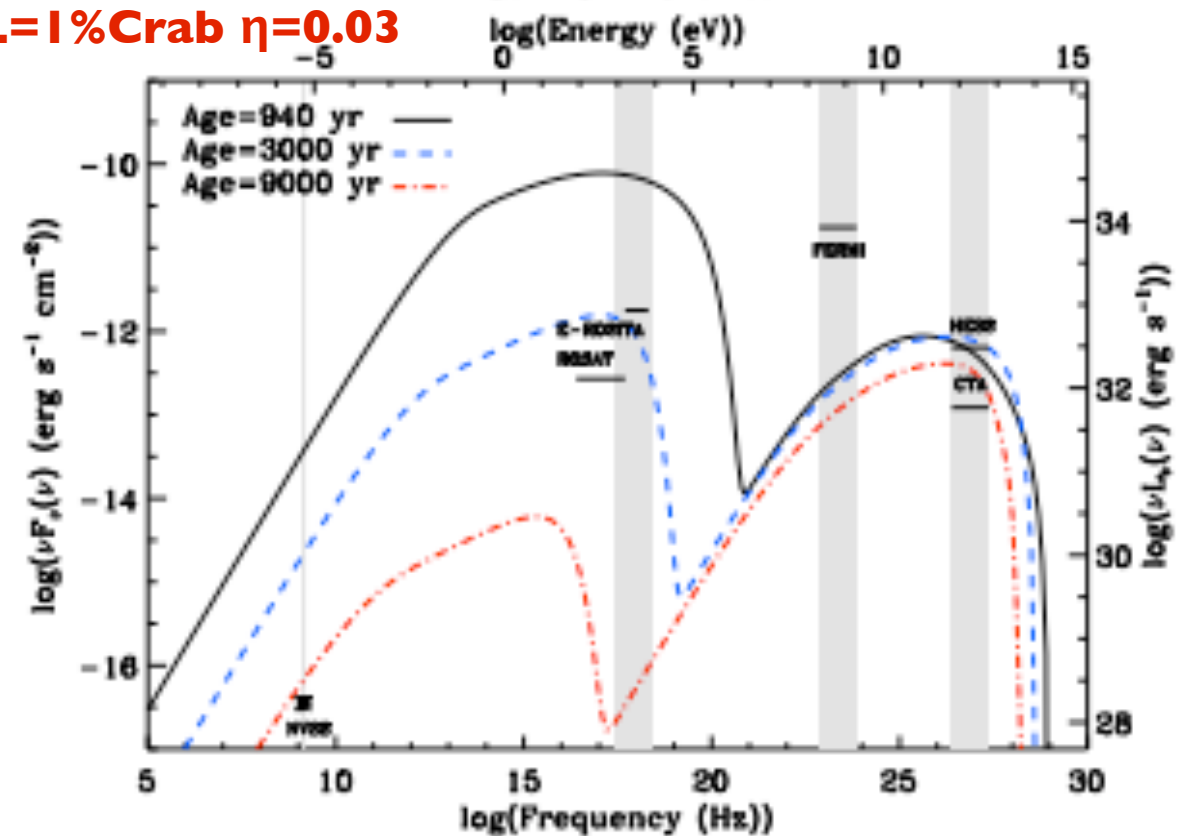
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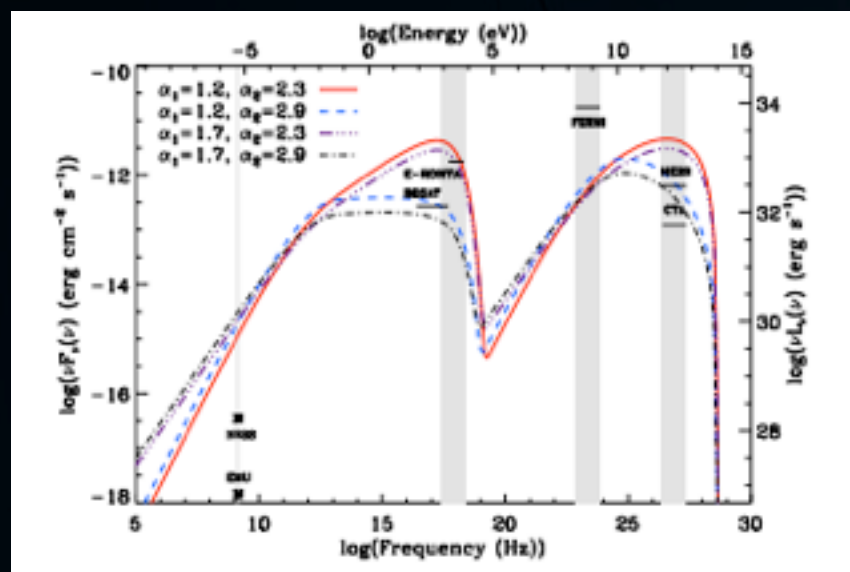
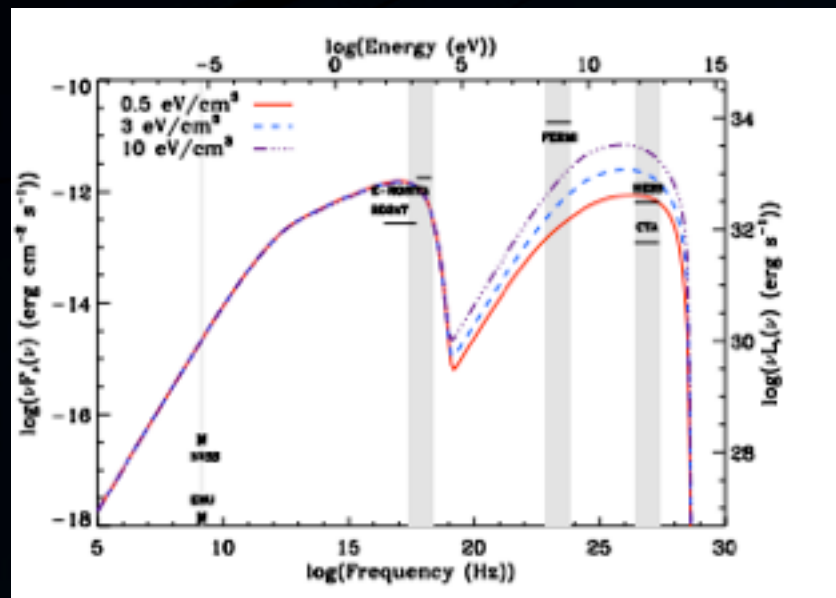
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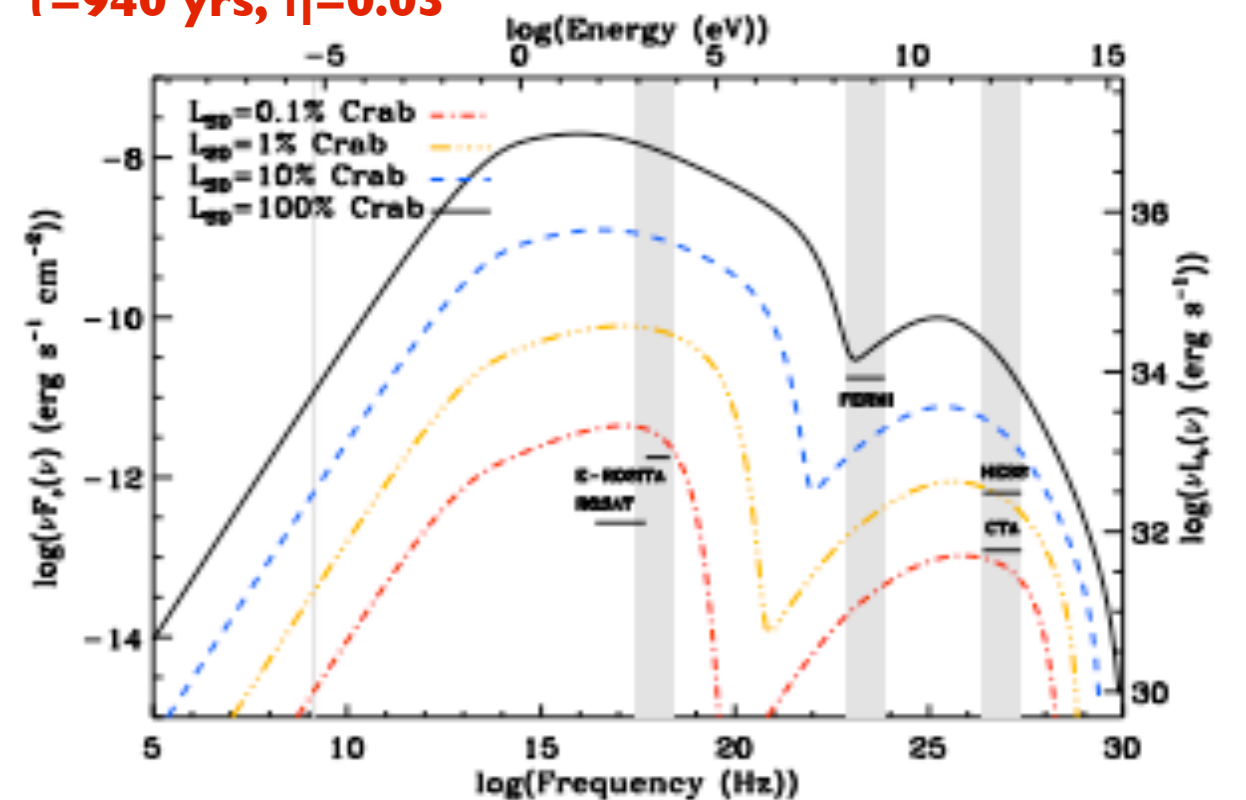
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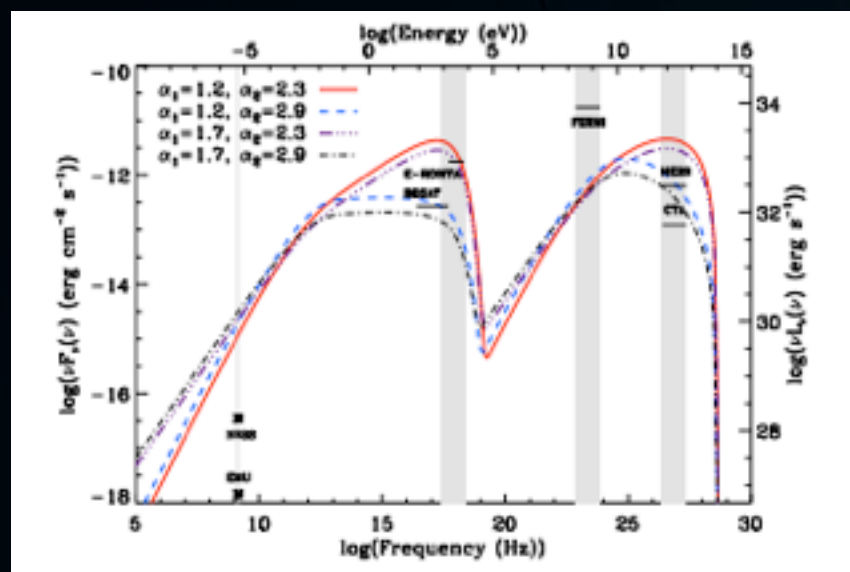
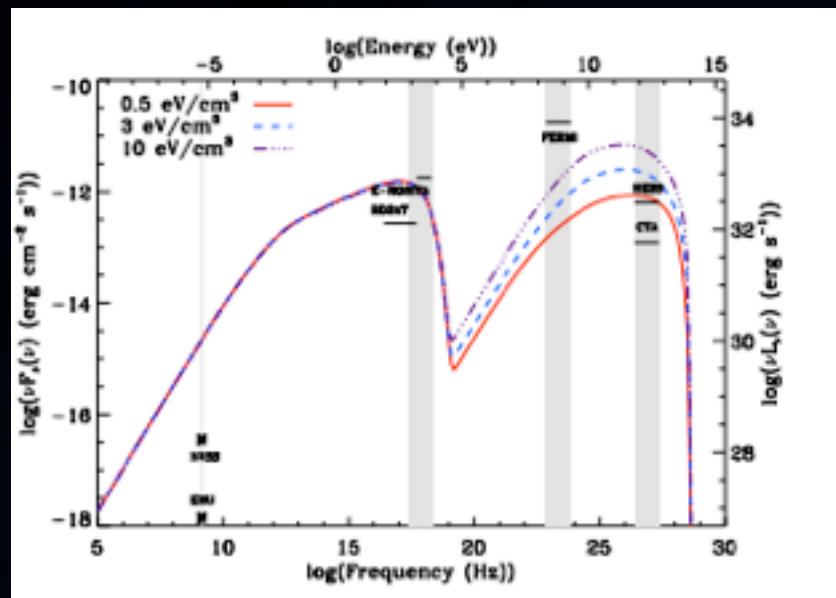
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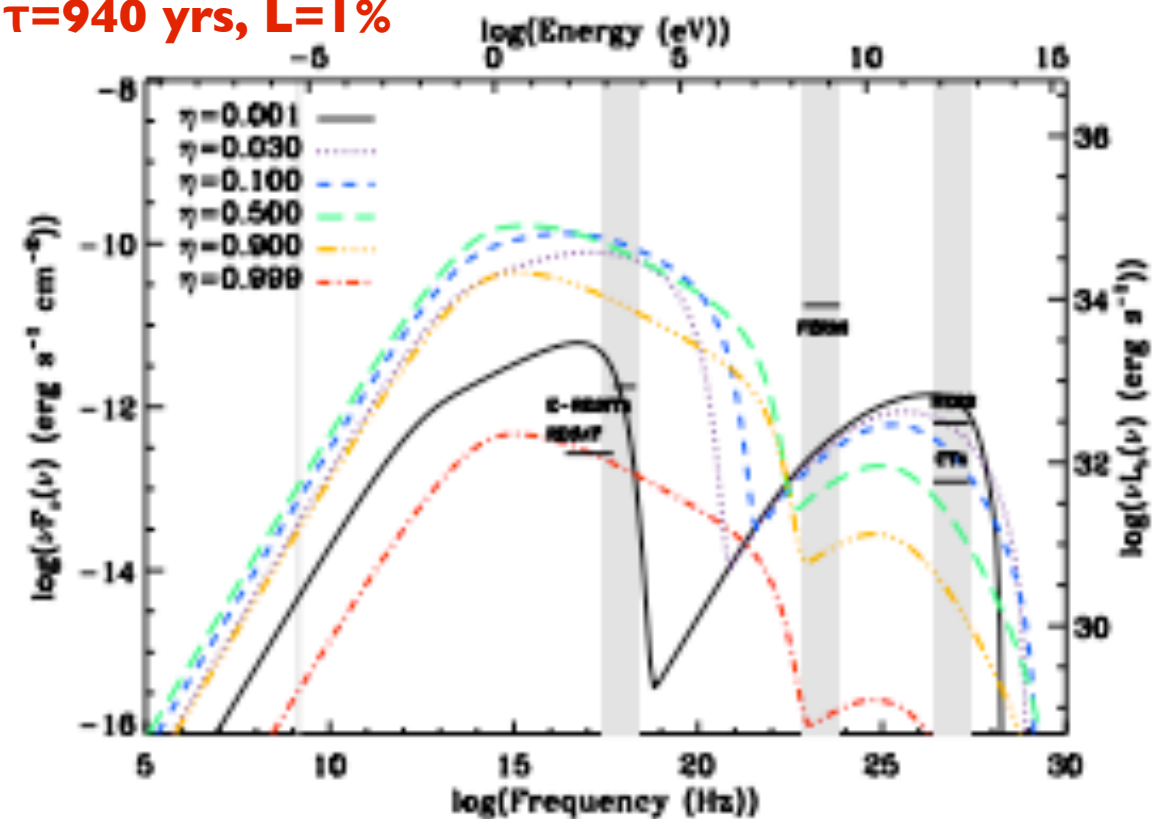
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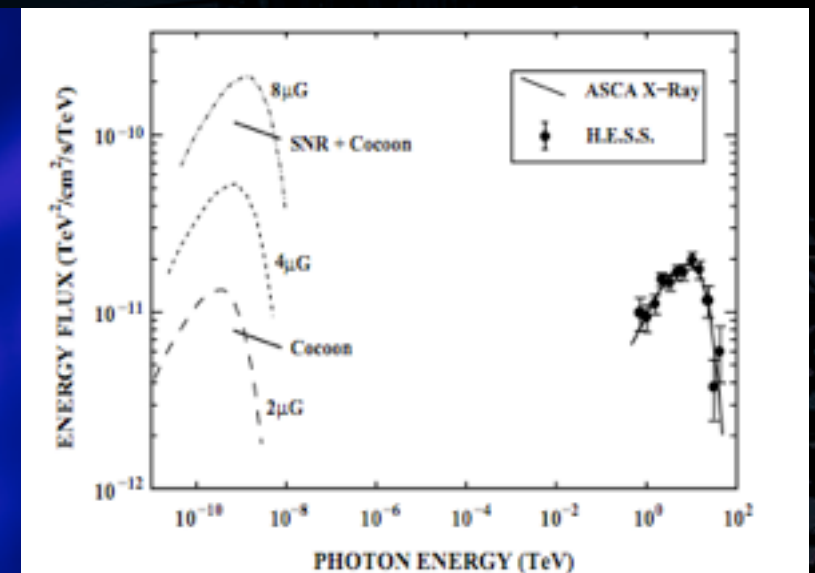
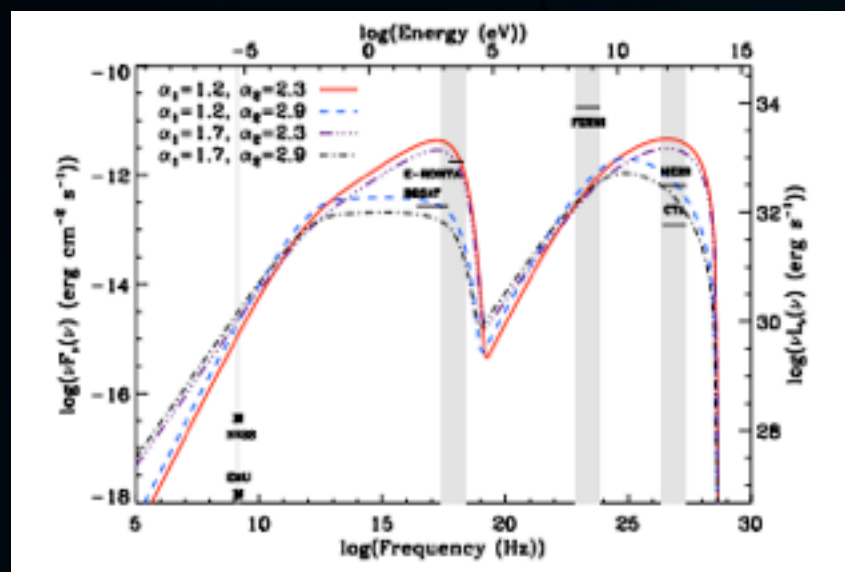
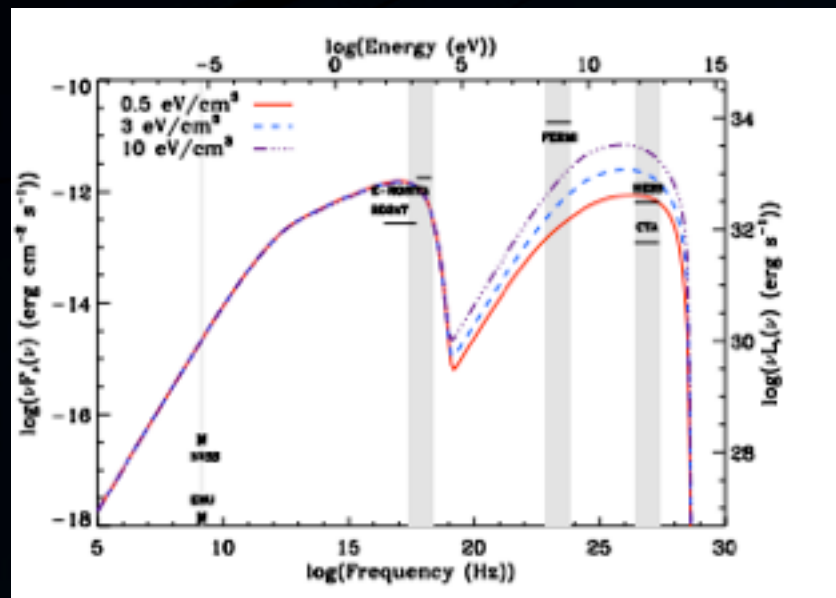
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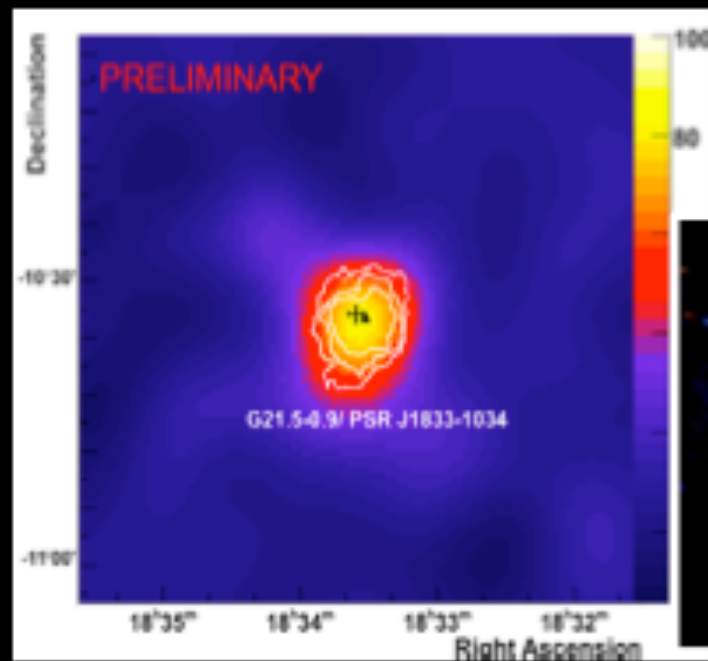
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 Detection of the peak : determination of B!

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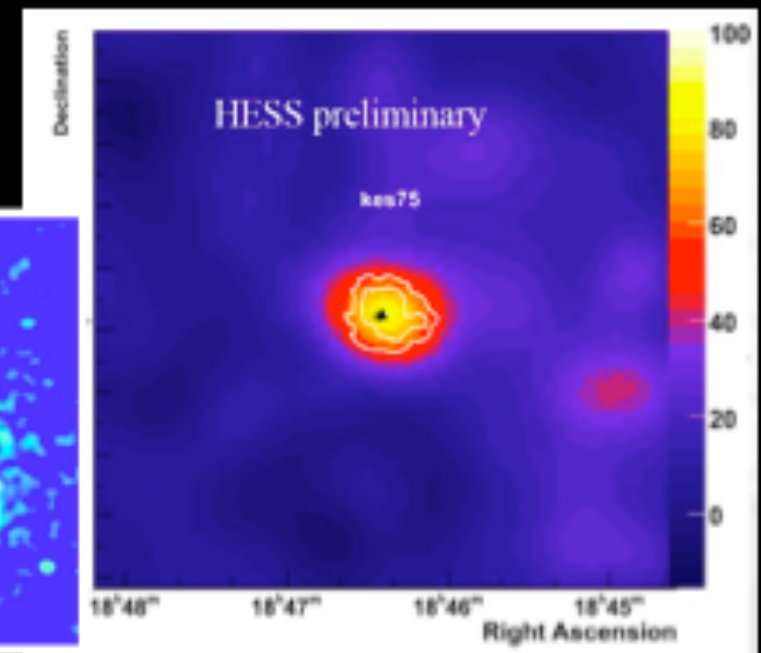
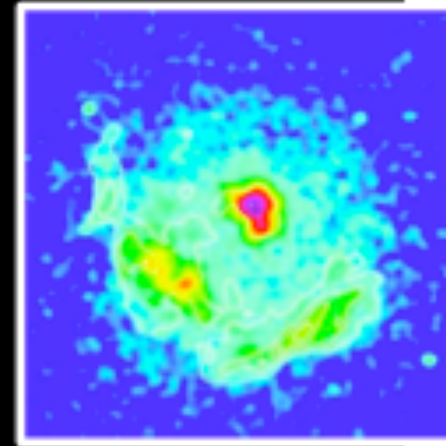
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Djannati-Ataï et al. HESS (2008)
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B far from equipartition: Particle dominated nebulae
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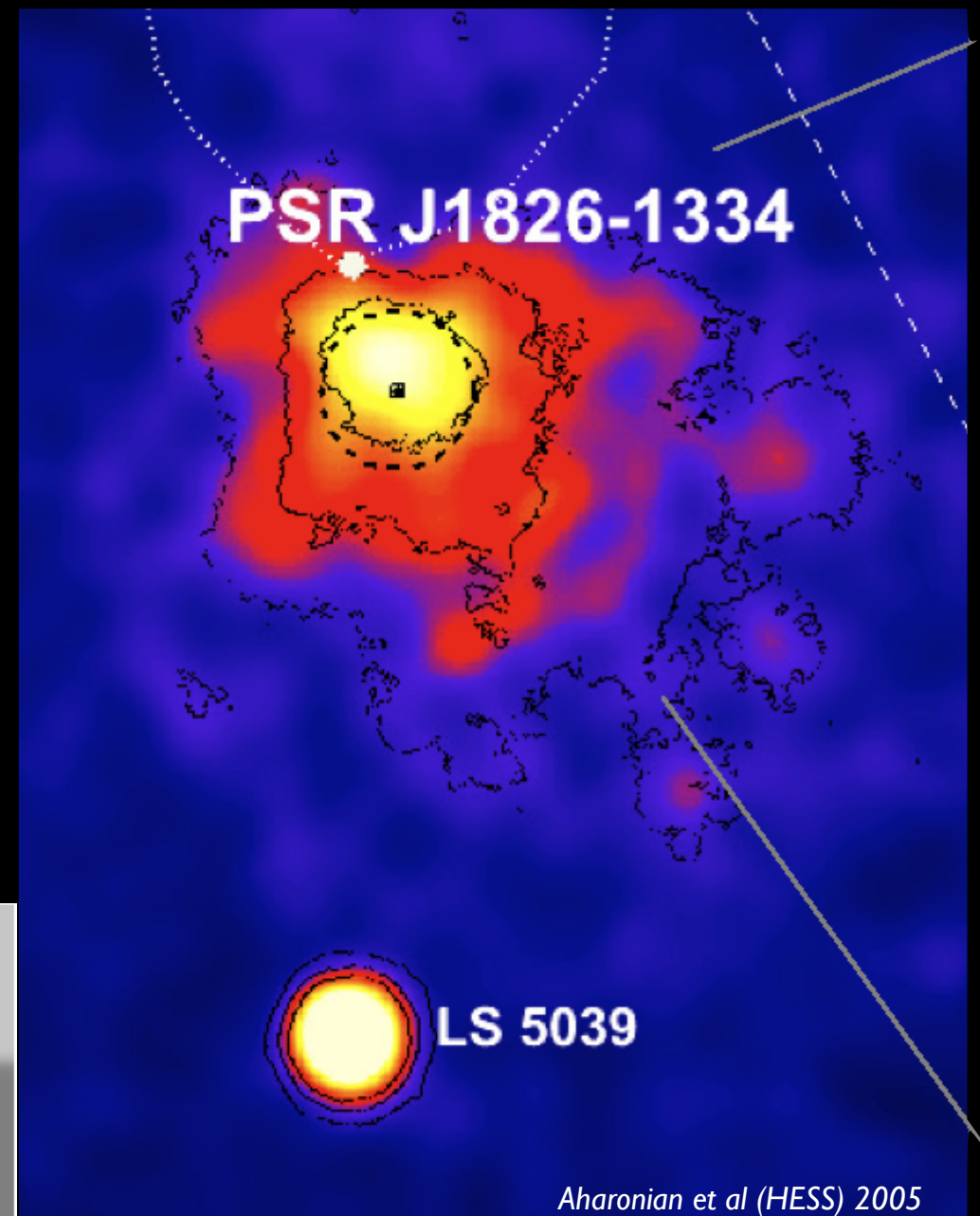
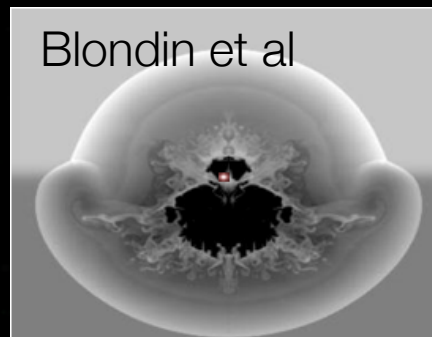
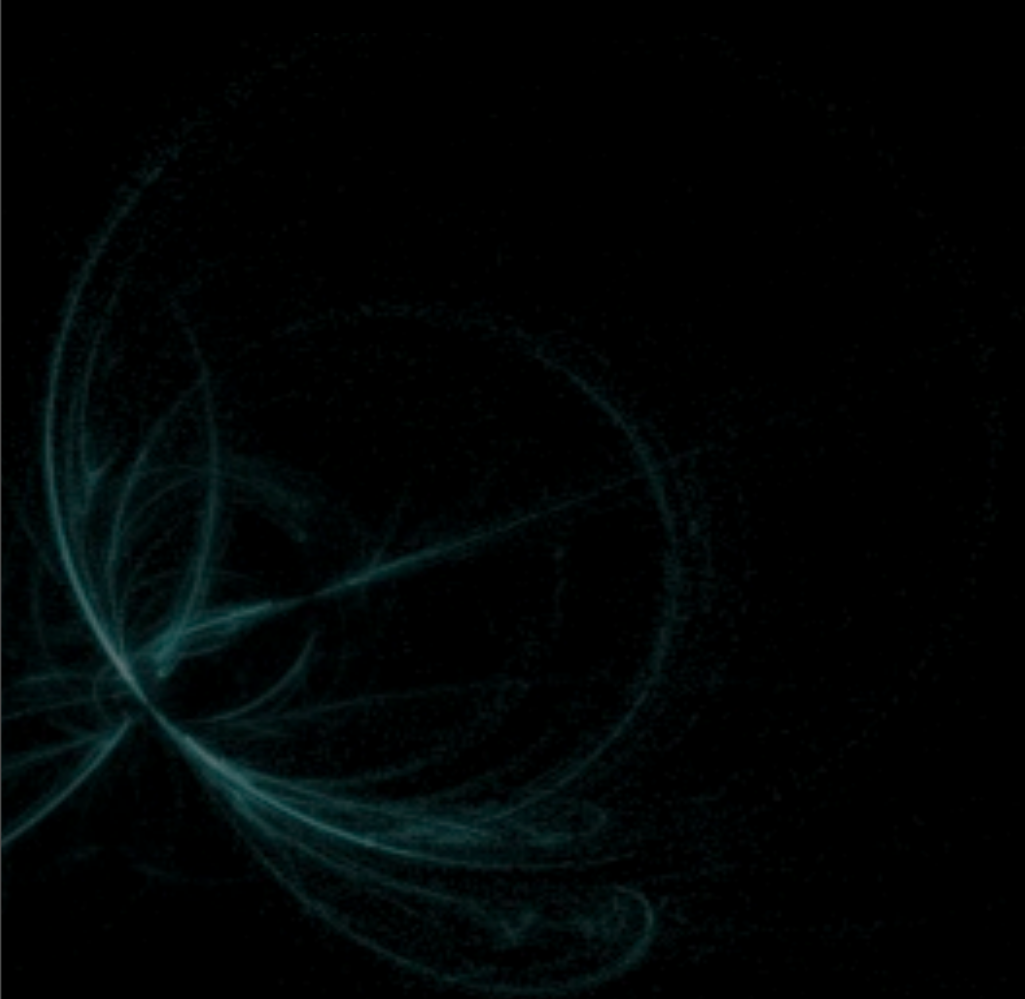
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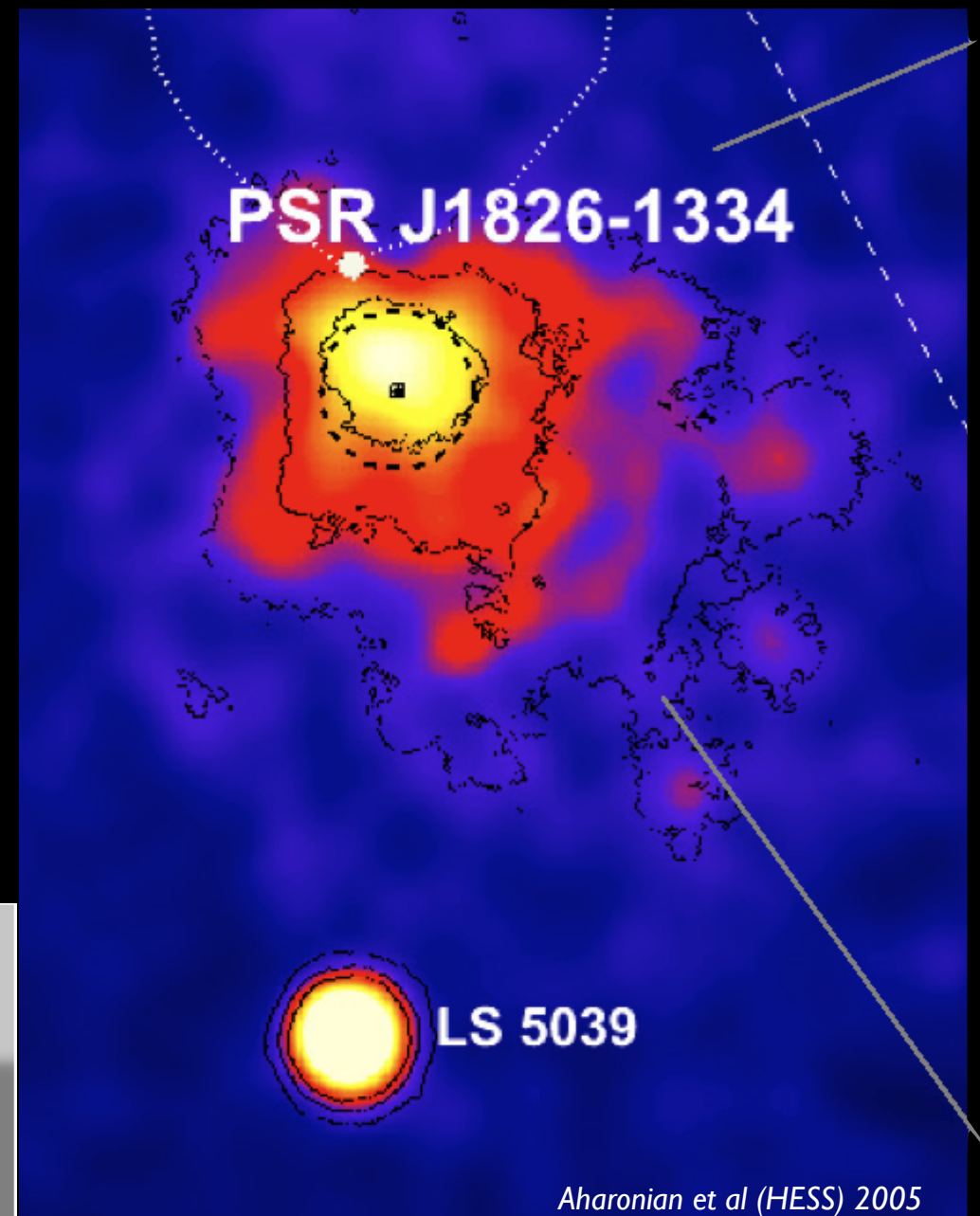
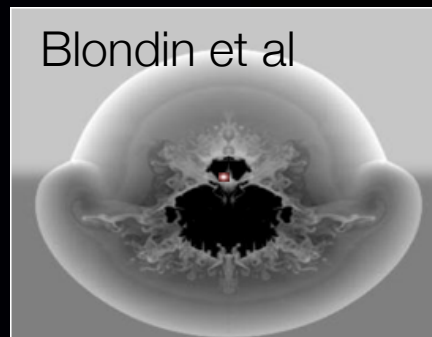
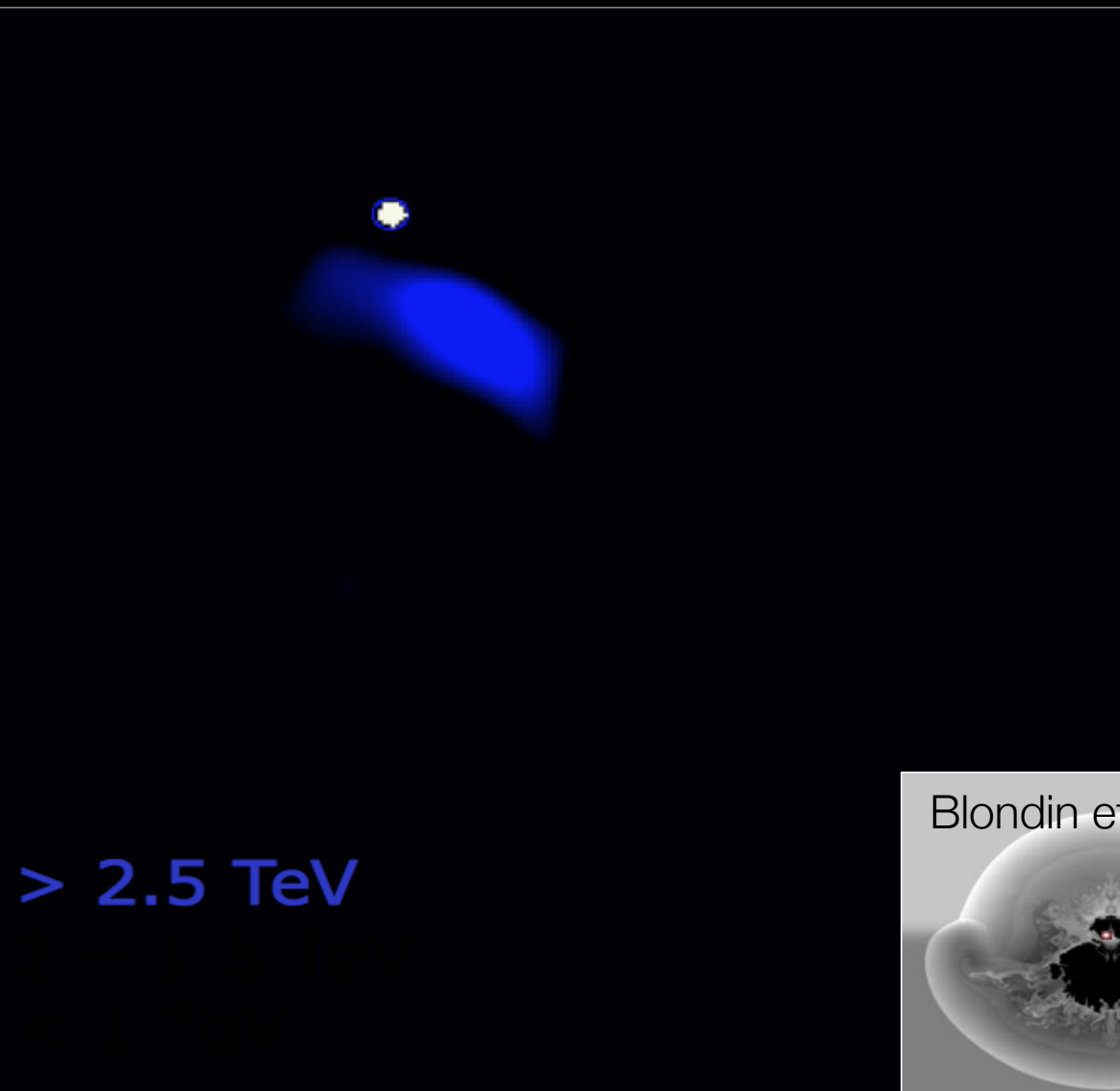
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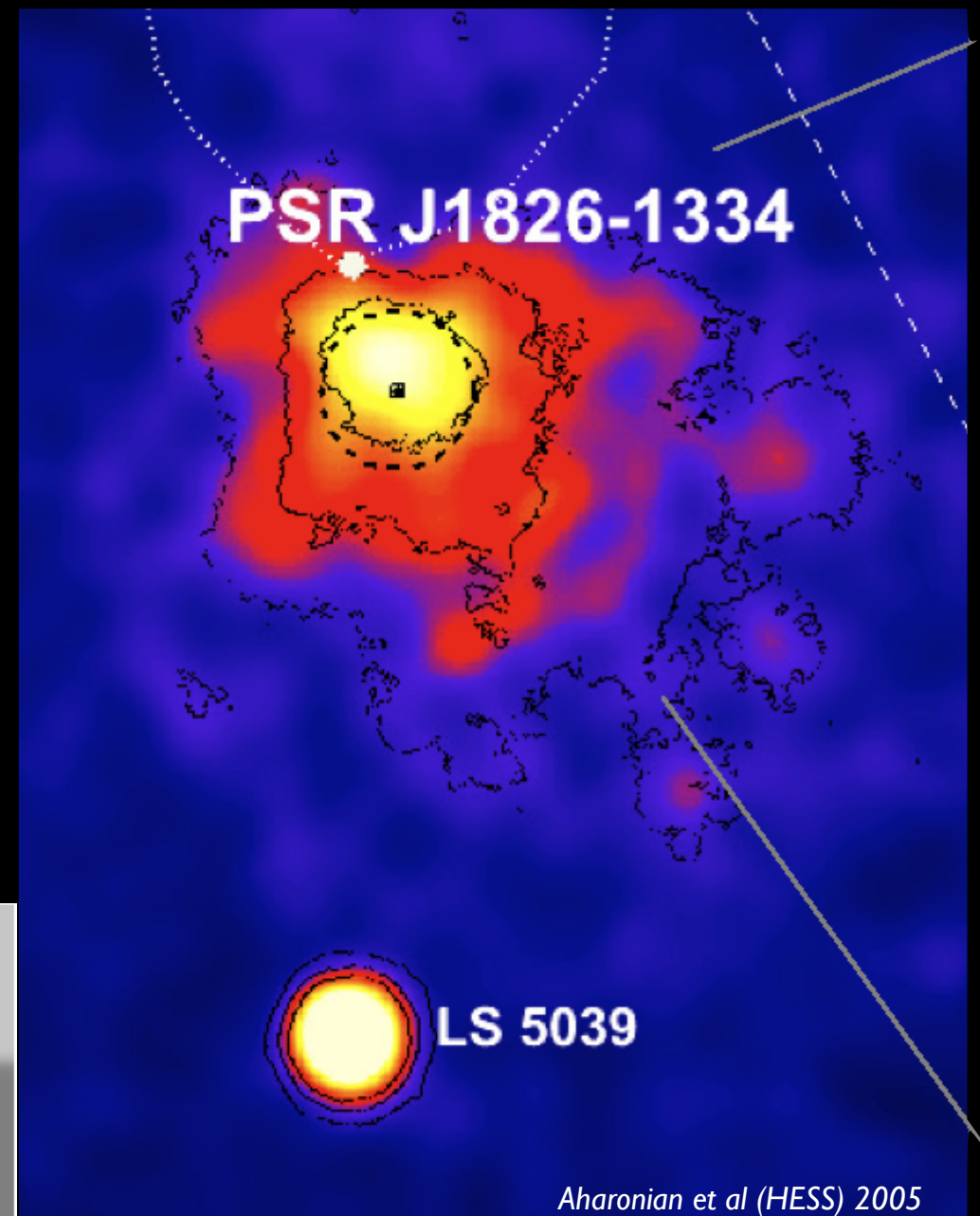
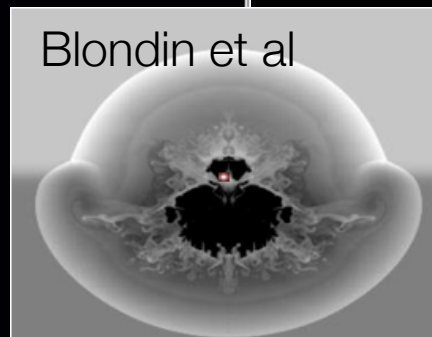
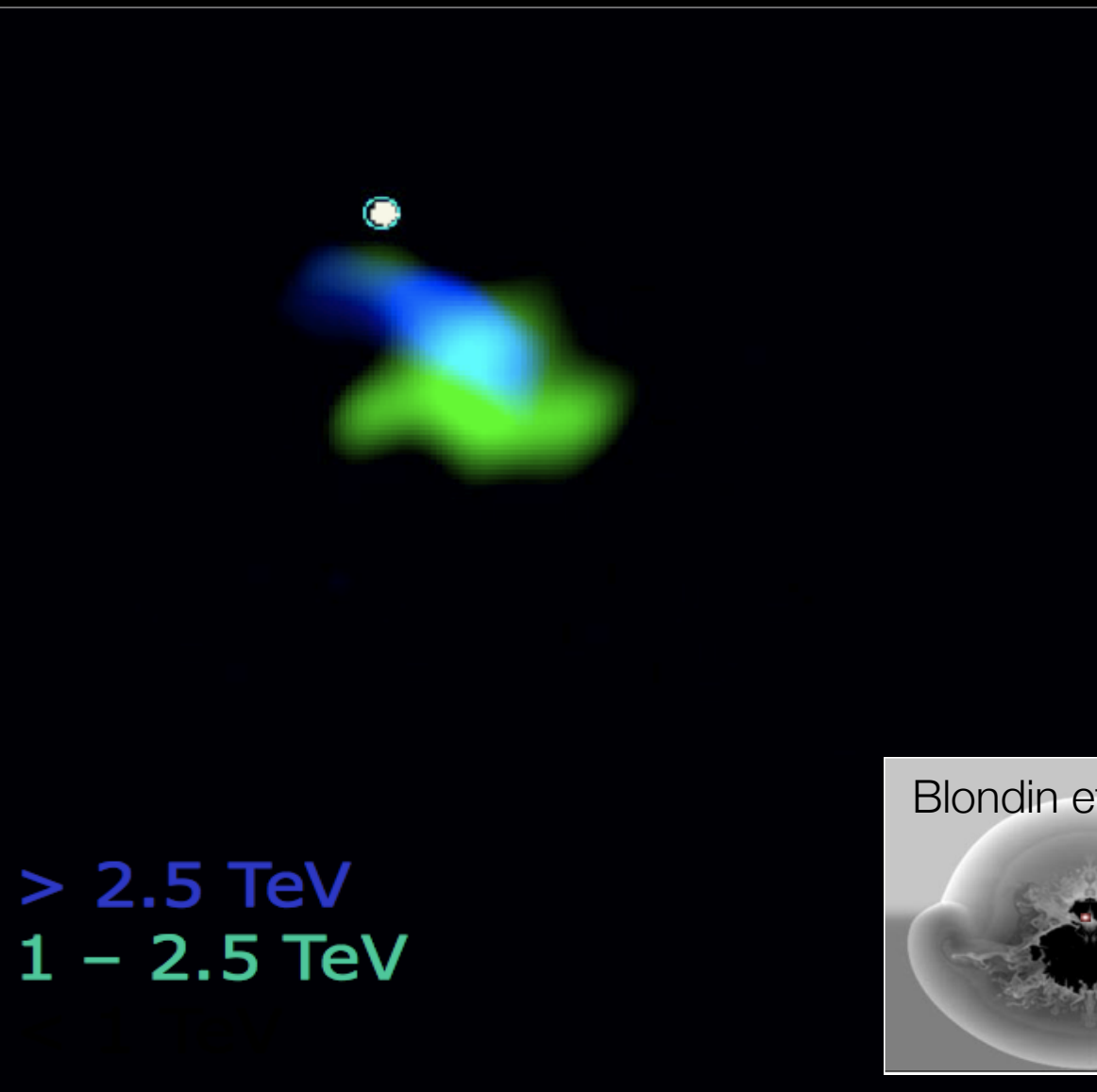
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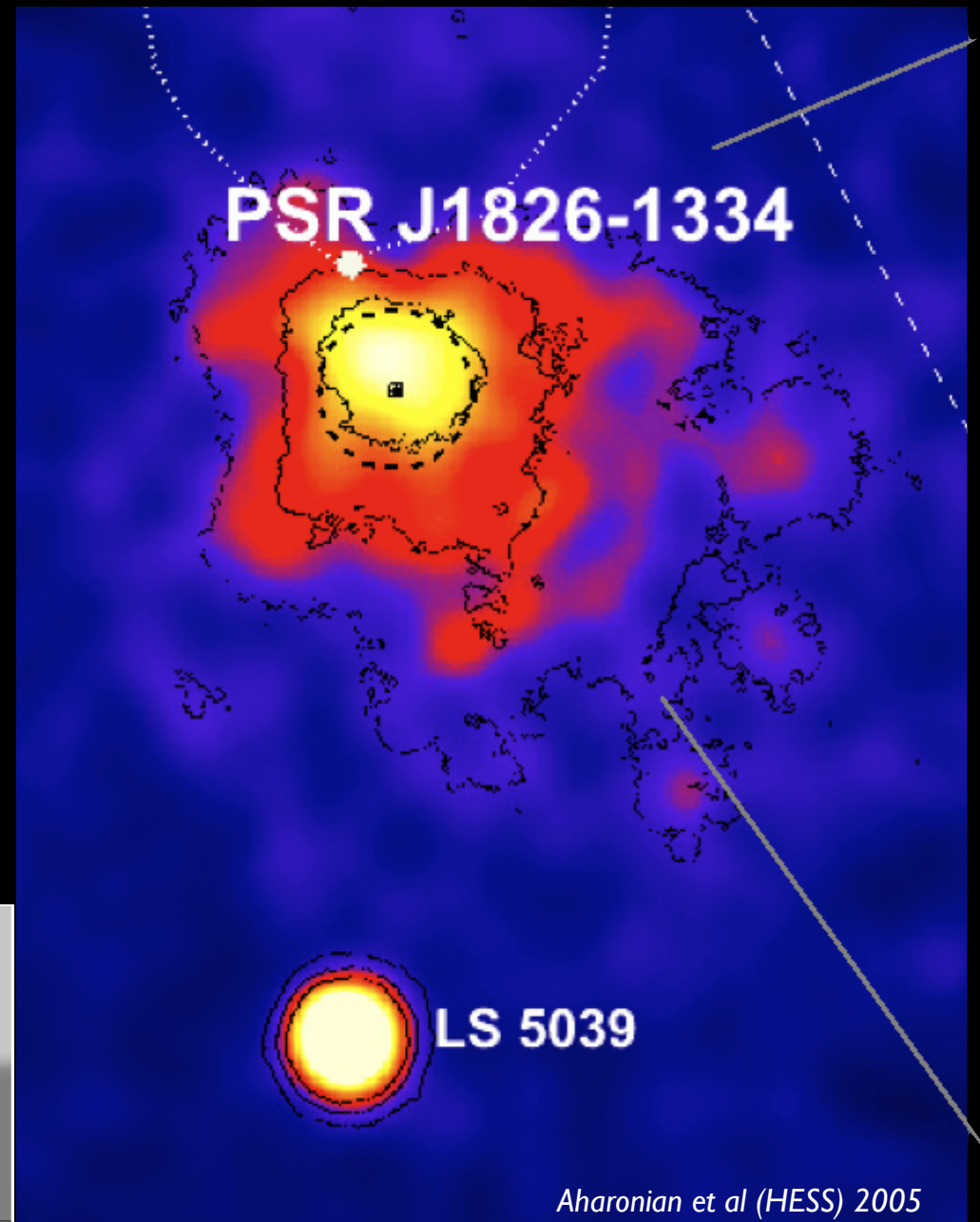
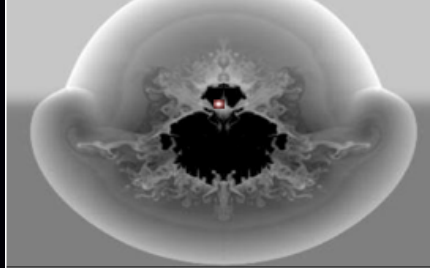


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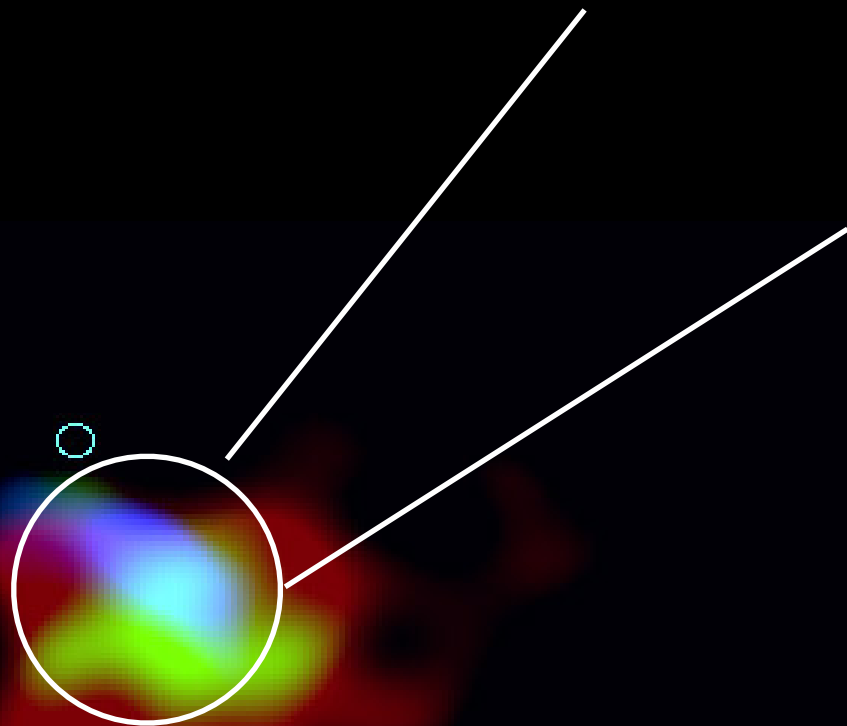
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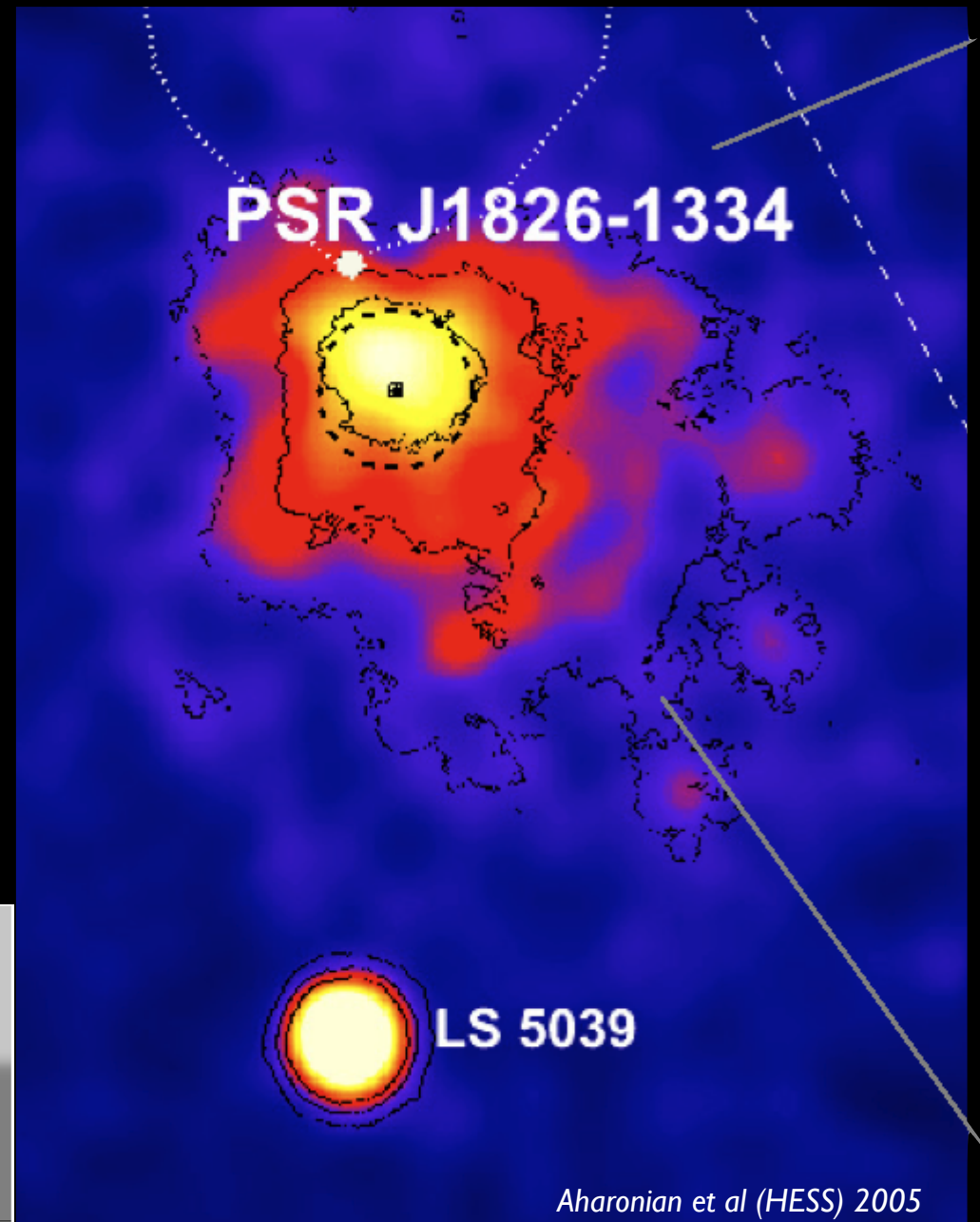
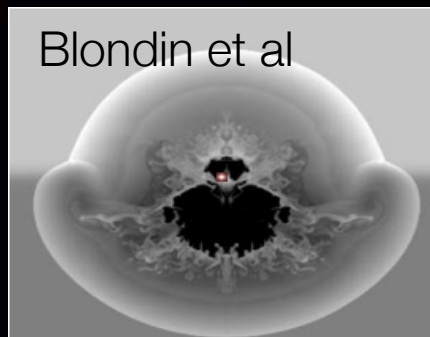


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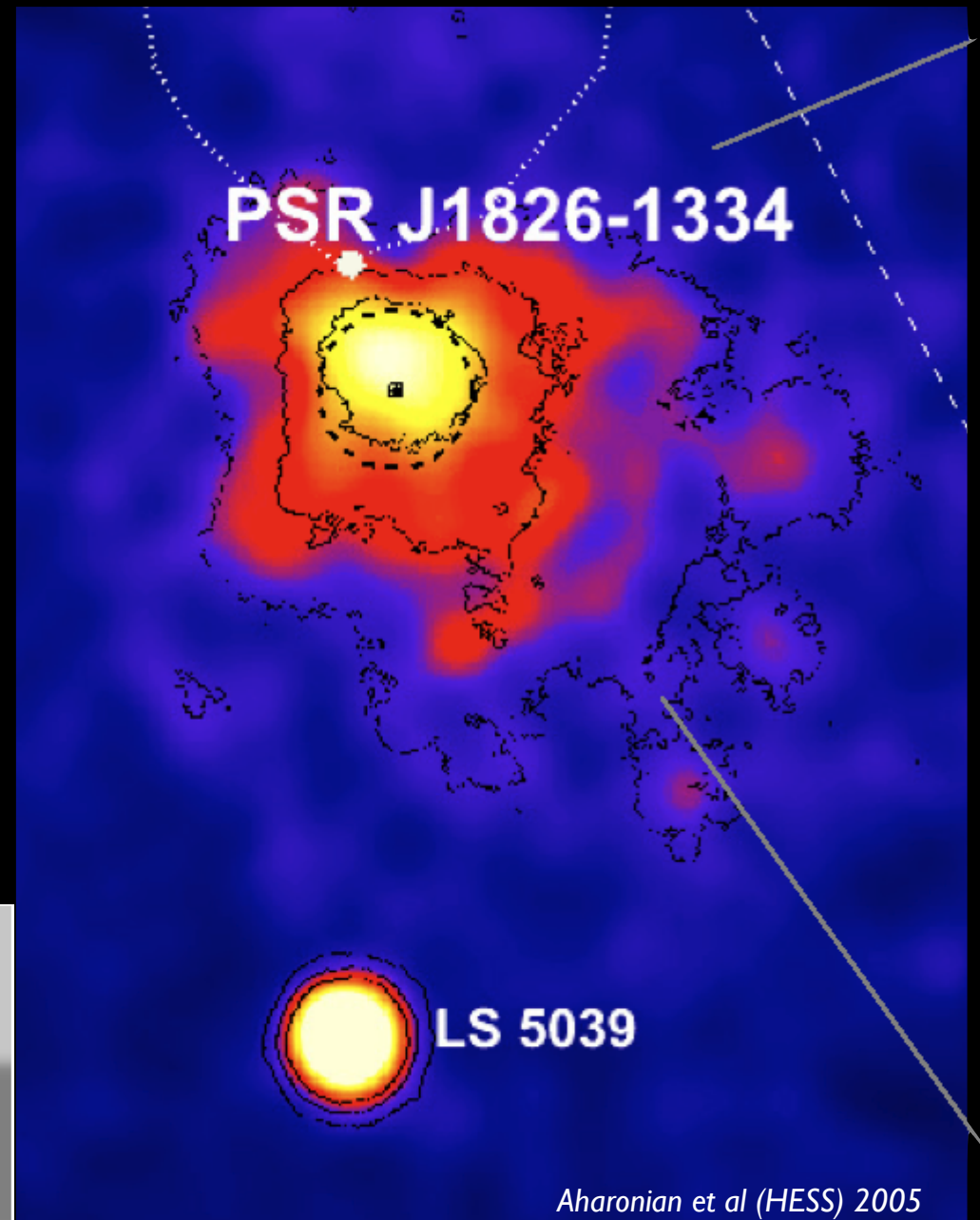
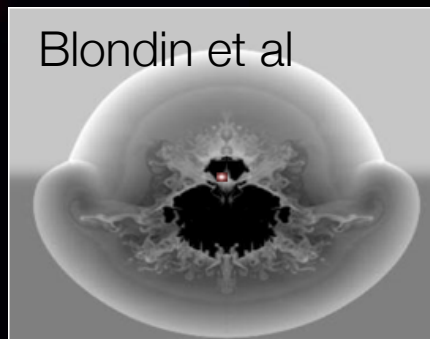
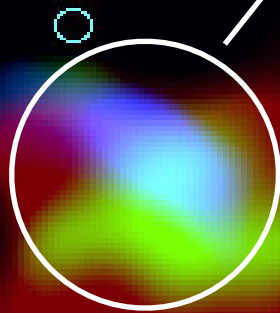
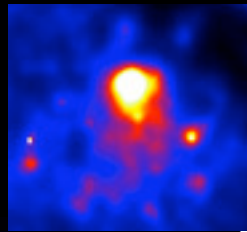
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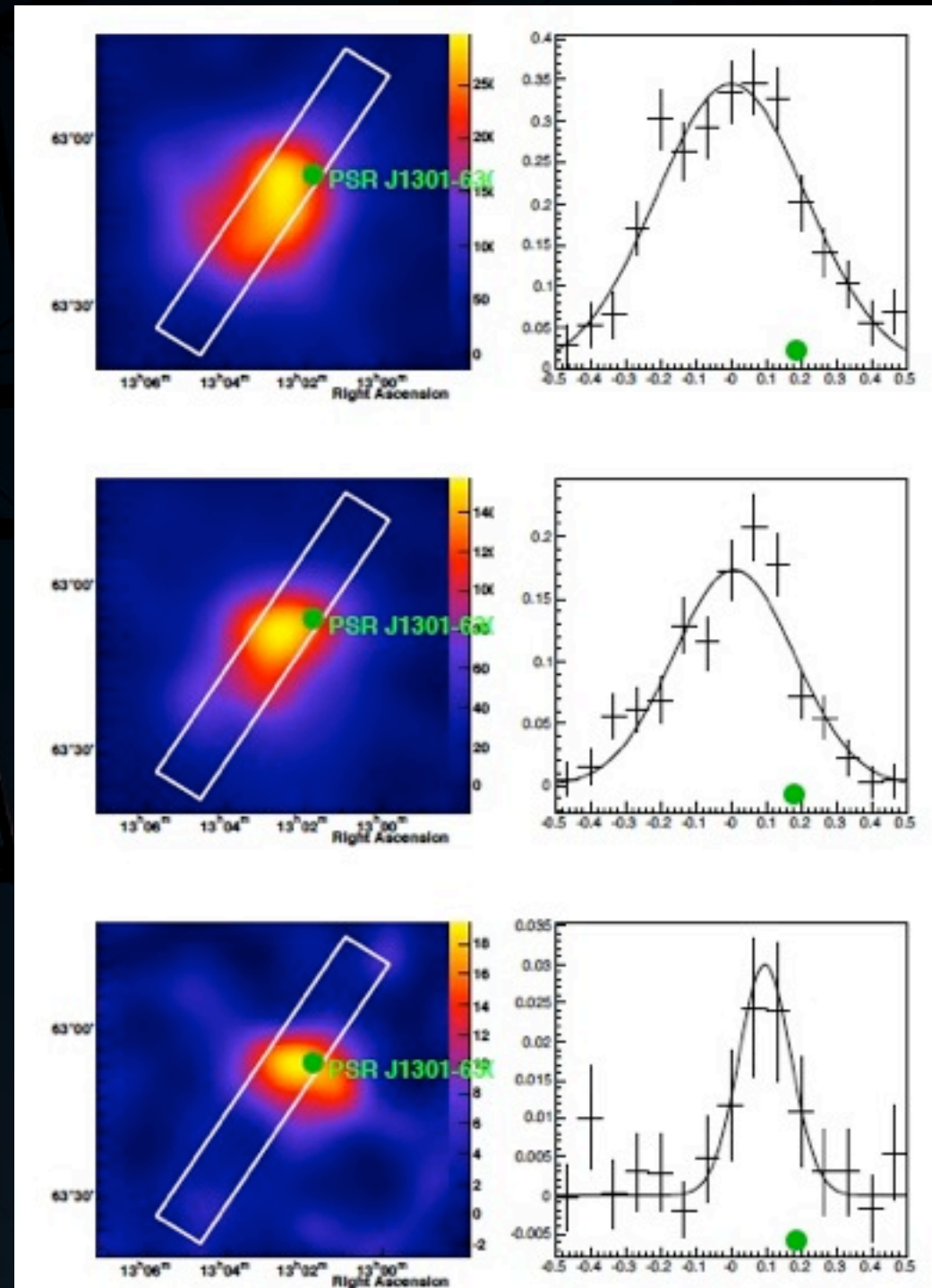
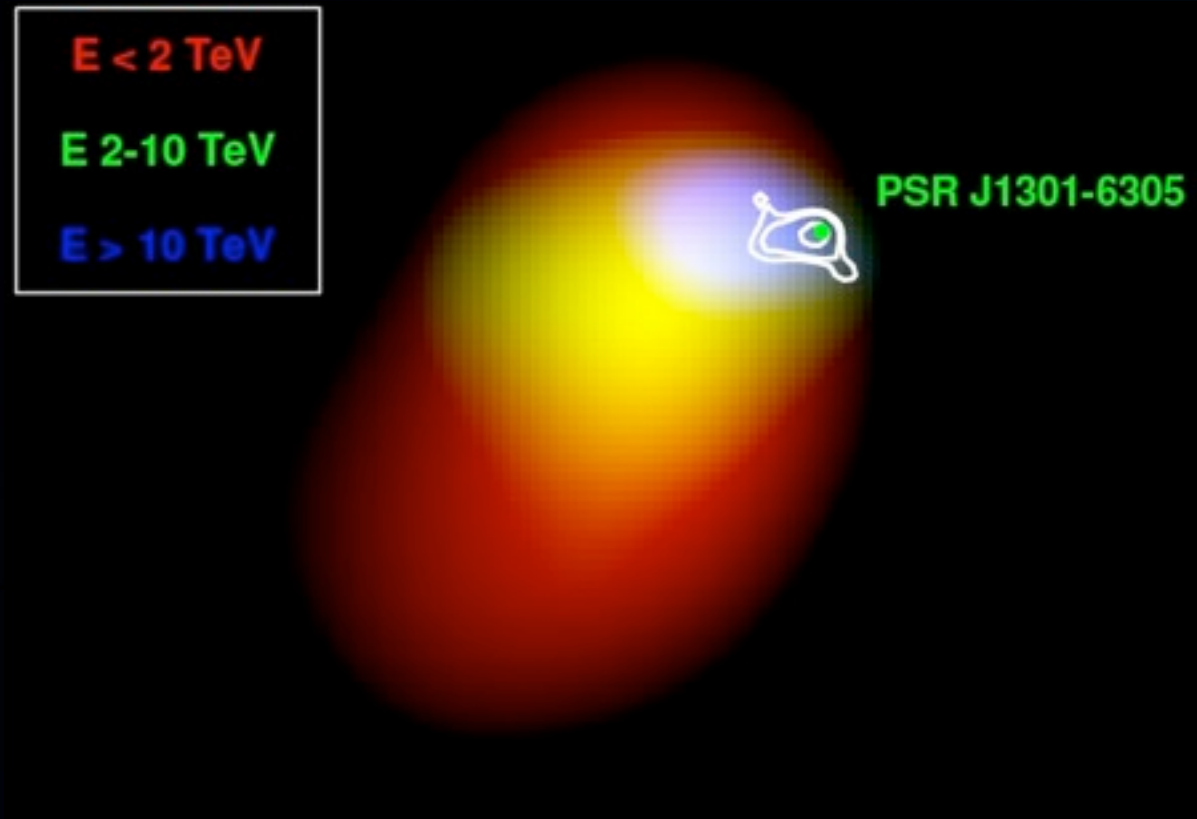
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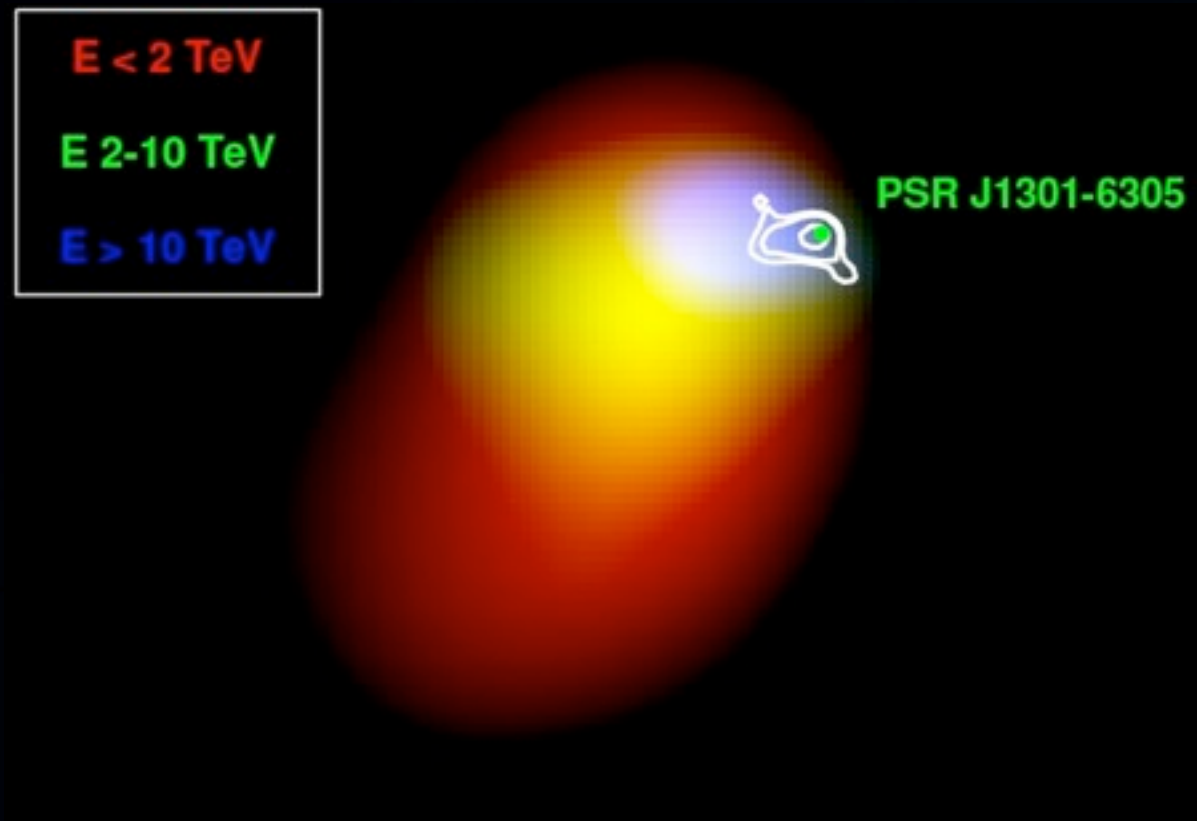


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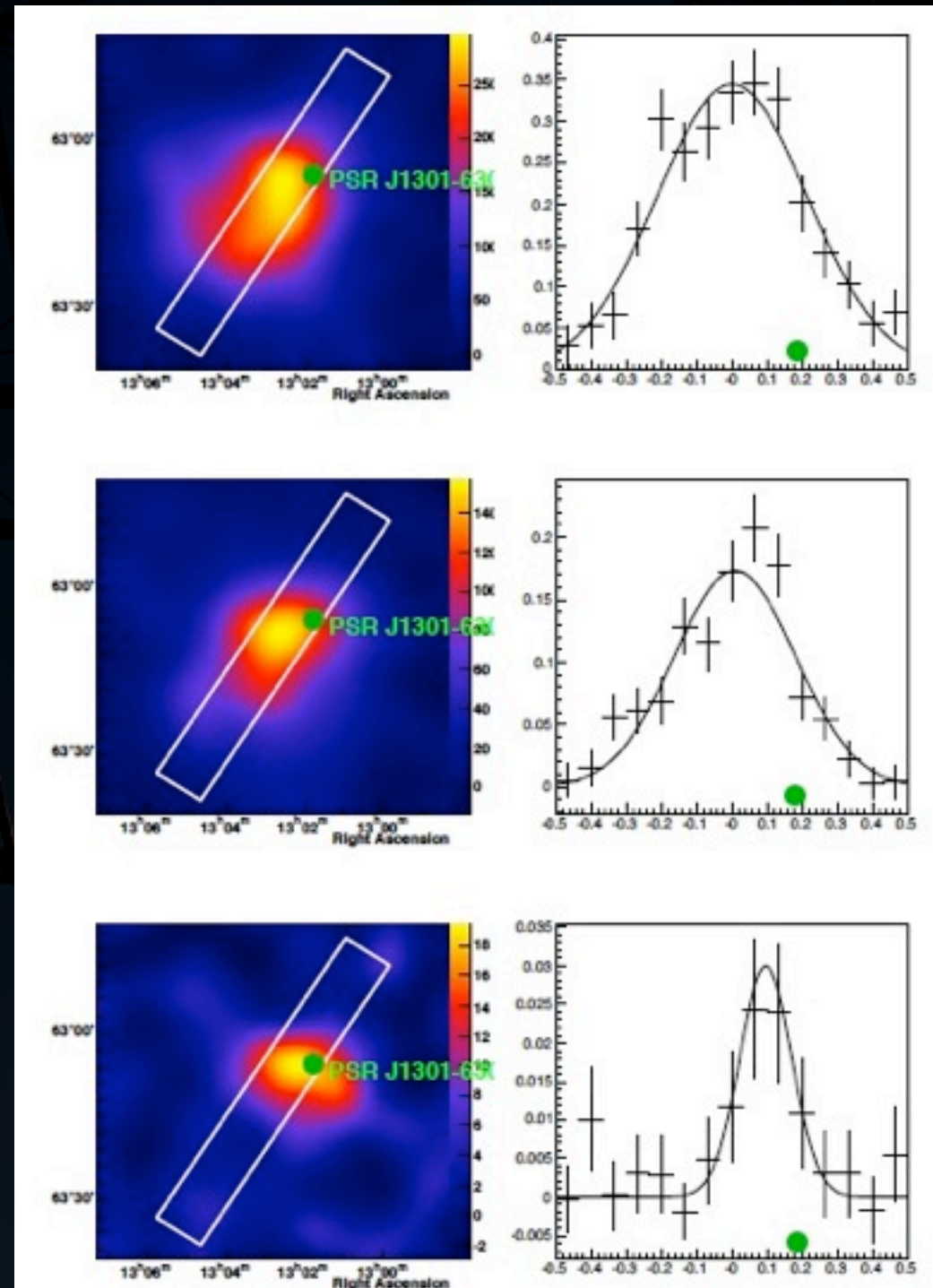


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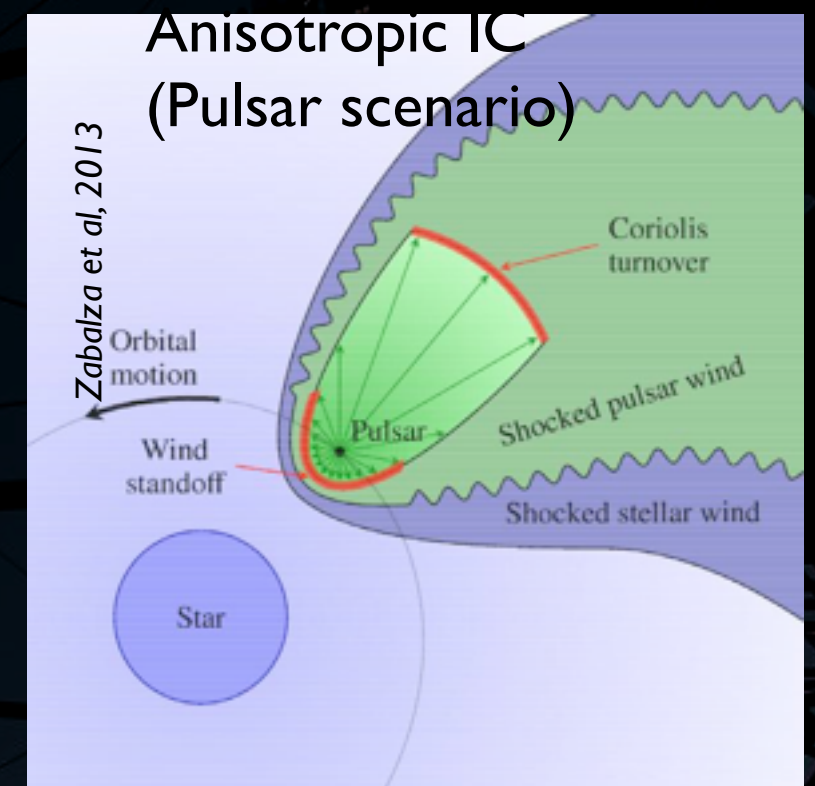
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Source Type: Binary Systems

- Point-like Sources at VHE:
neutron star or black hole + massive companion
- Modulation of the VHE due to their interaction (6)
Observed in radio, X-ray, HE and VHE
- Difficult to reconcile all observations
- Not a unique behavior: Ej. **LS 5039 vs IFGL J1018.6**



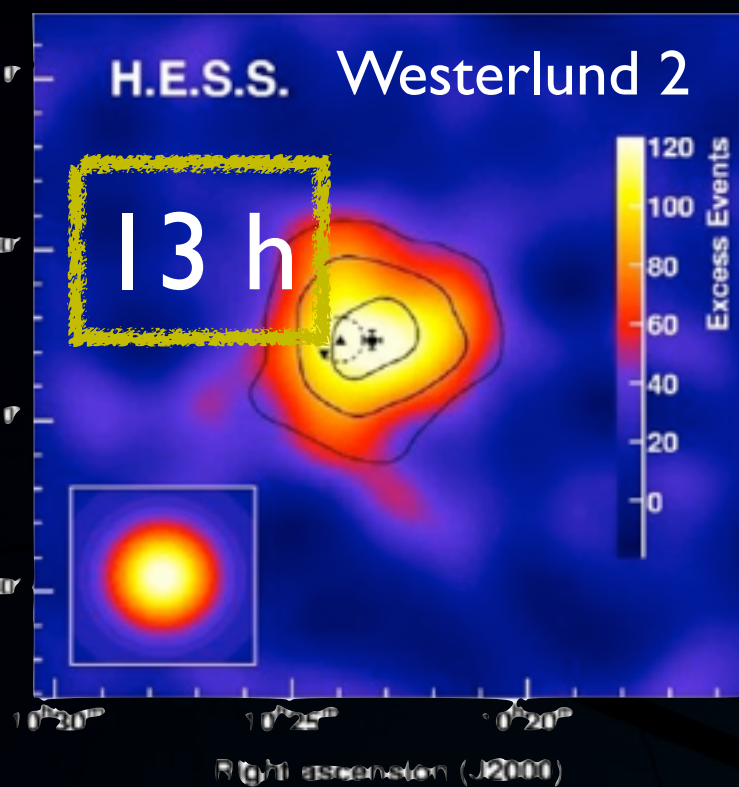
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LSI +61 303	0-15	2	yes/yes	yes (~1 month)
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PSR B1259-63	0-10	1.5	yes/yes	yes (~3.4 years)
HESS J0632+057	0-3	1.5	no/yes	yes (~300 days)
Cyg X-1	0-10	2.2	yes/yes(?)	no
IFGL J1018.6-589	5-15	5	yes/?	yes (~16 days)



Microquasar scenario

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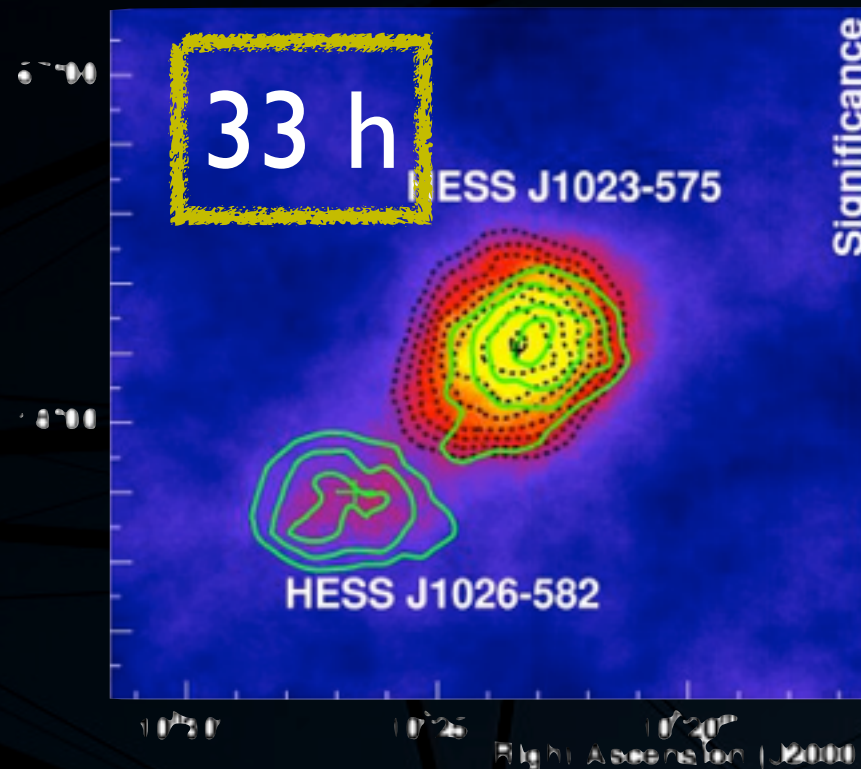
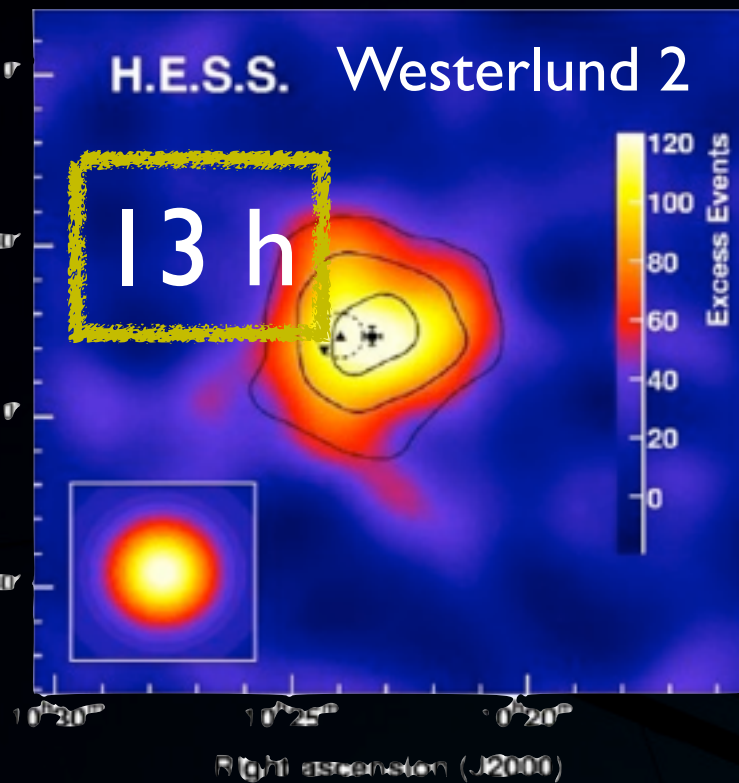
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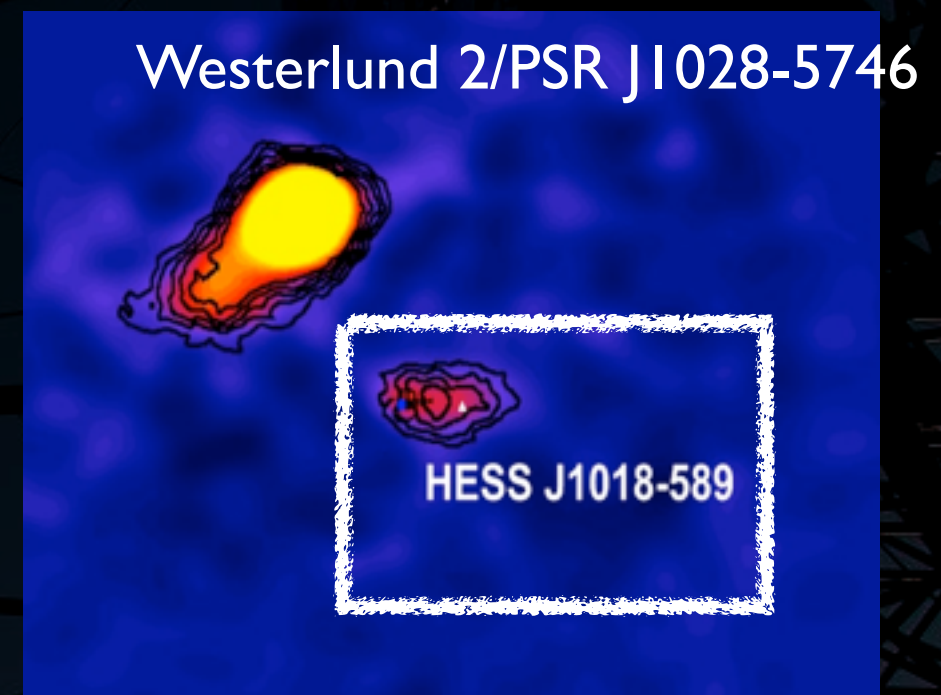
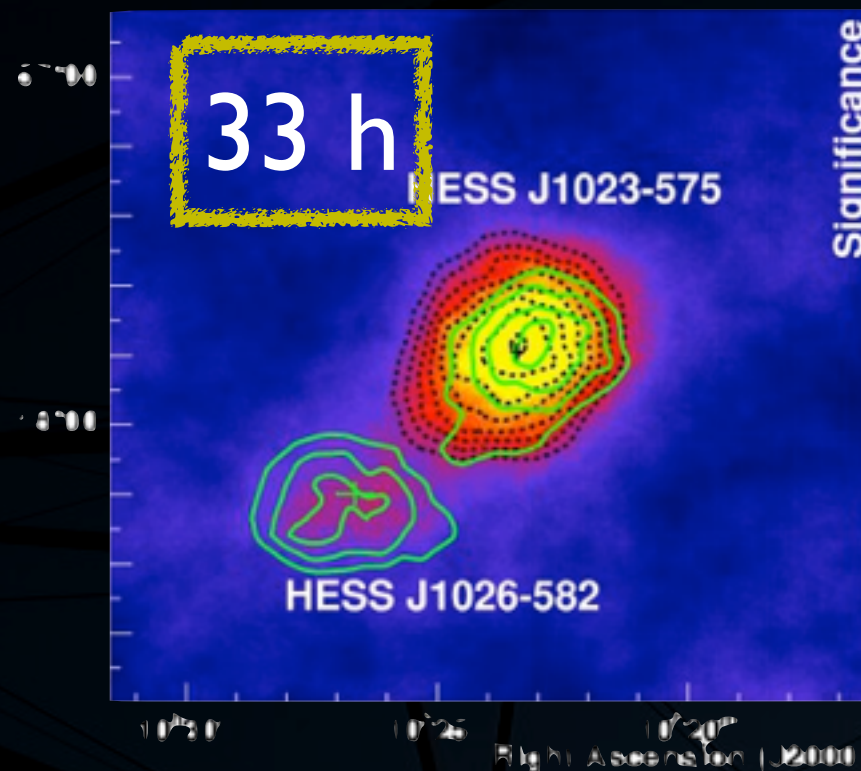
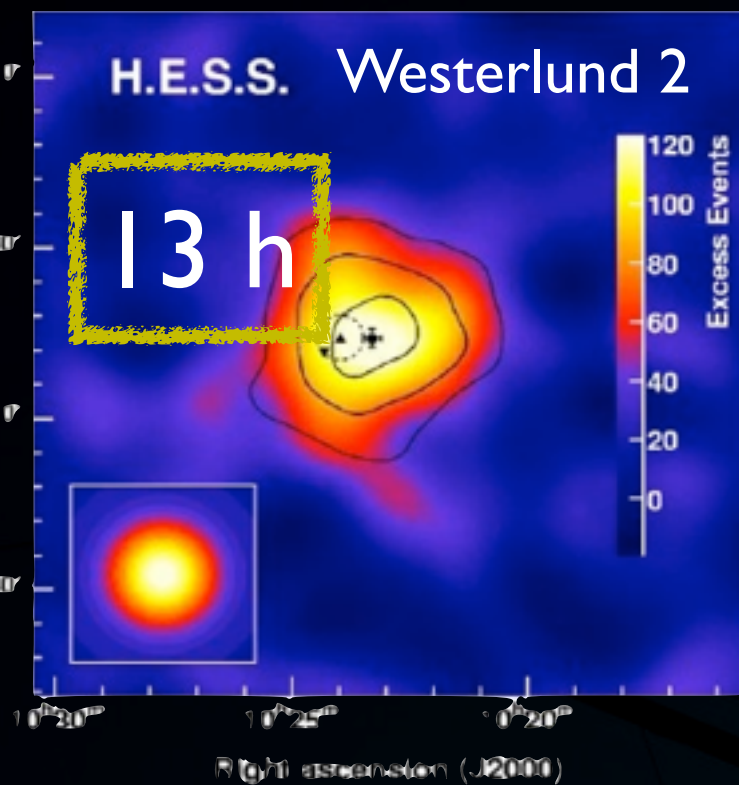
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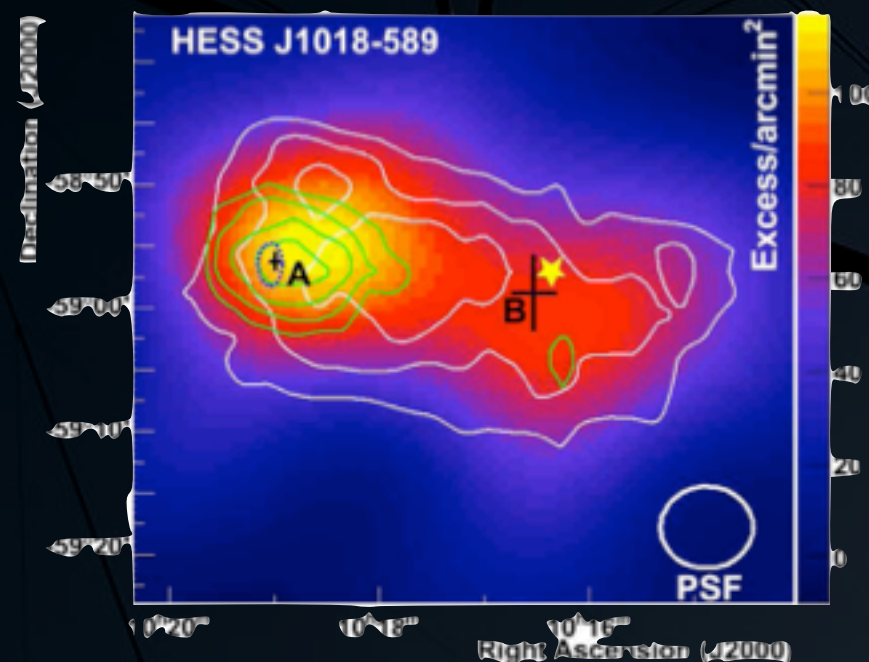
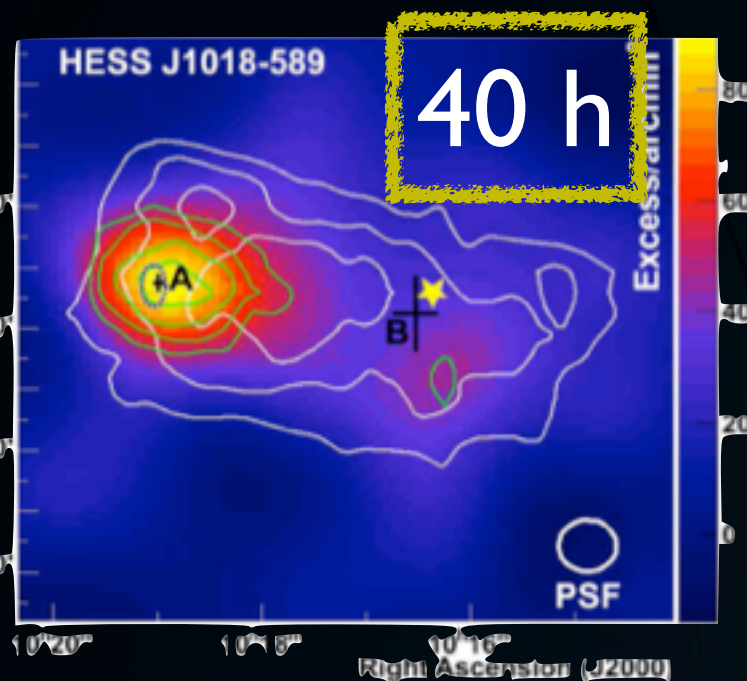
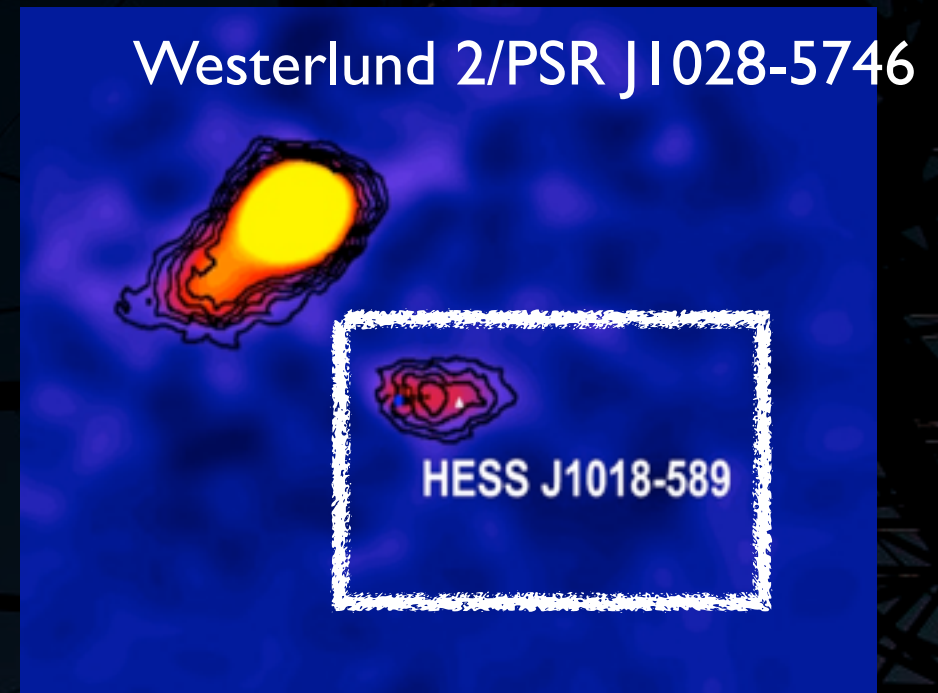
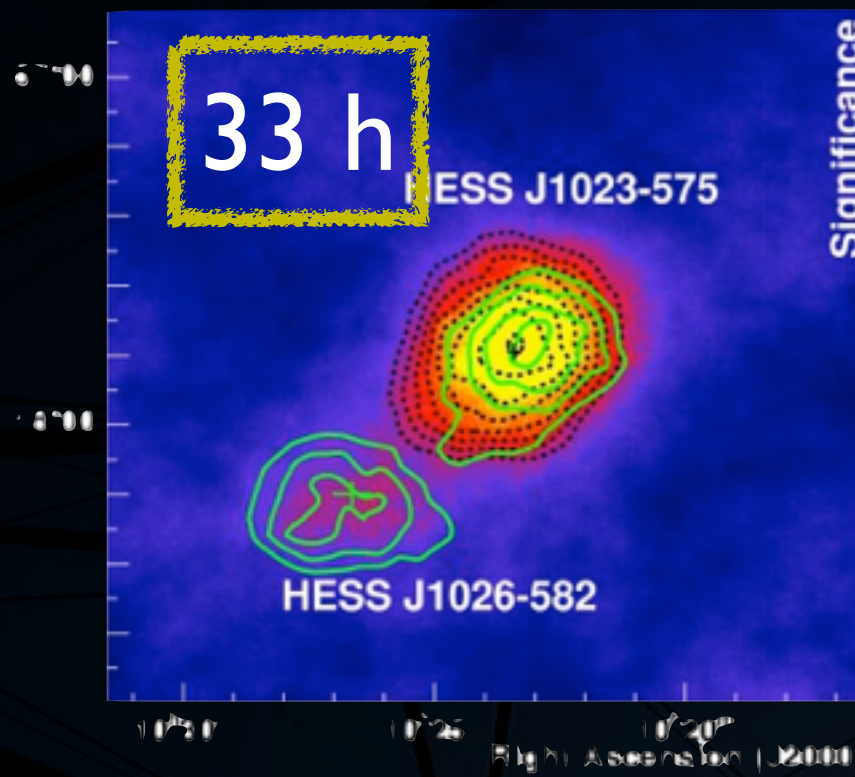
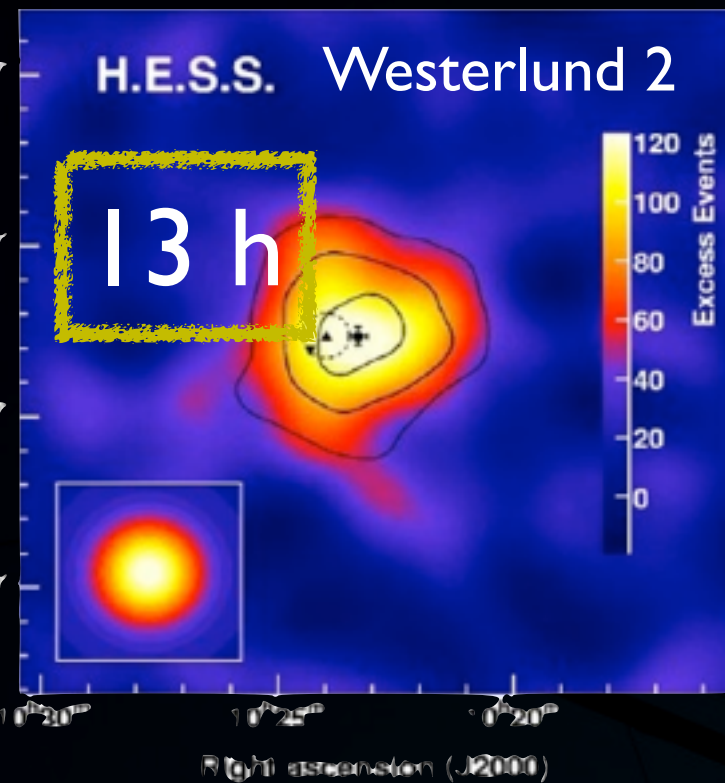
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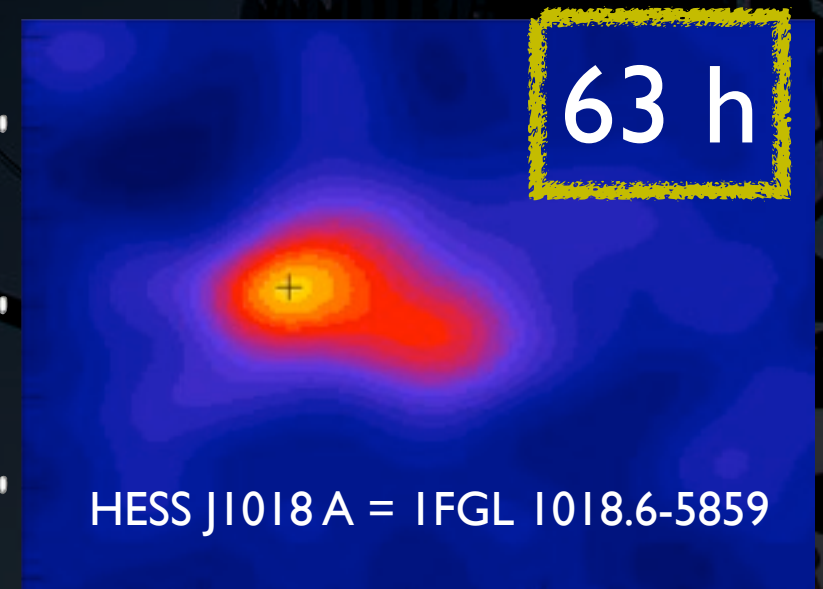
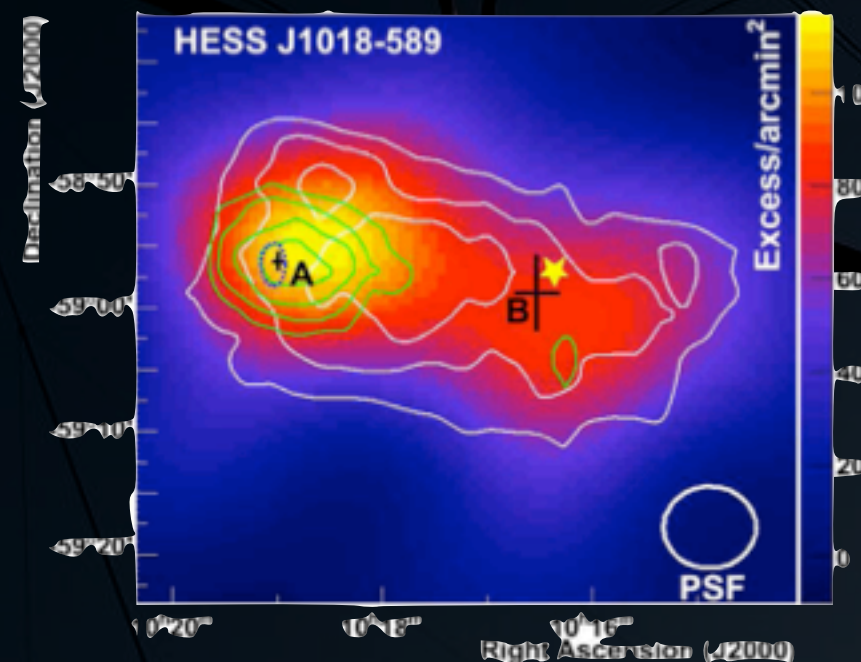
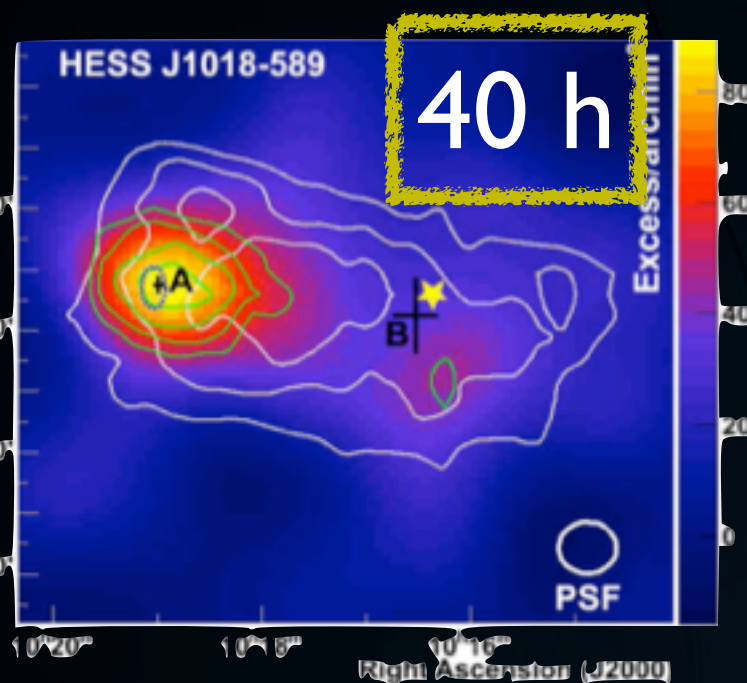
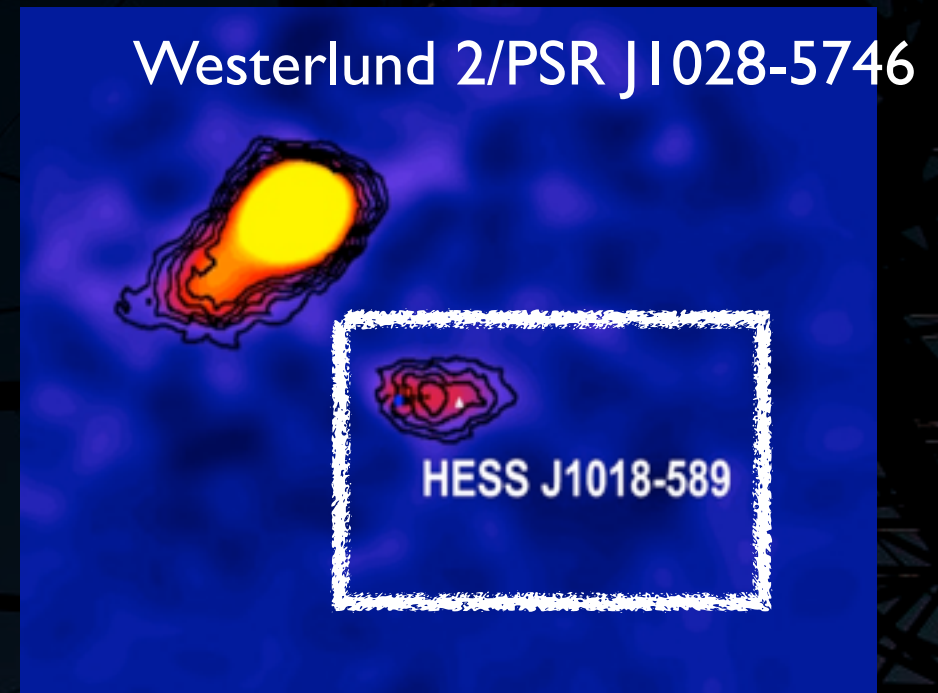
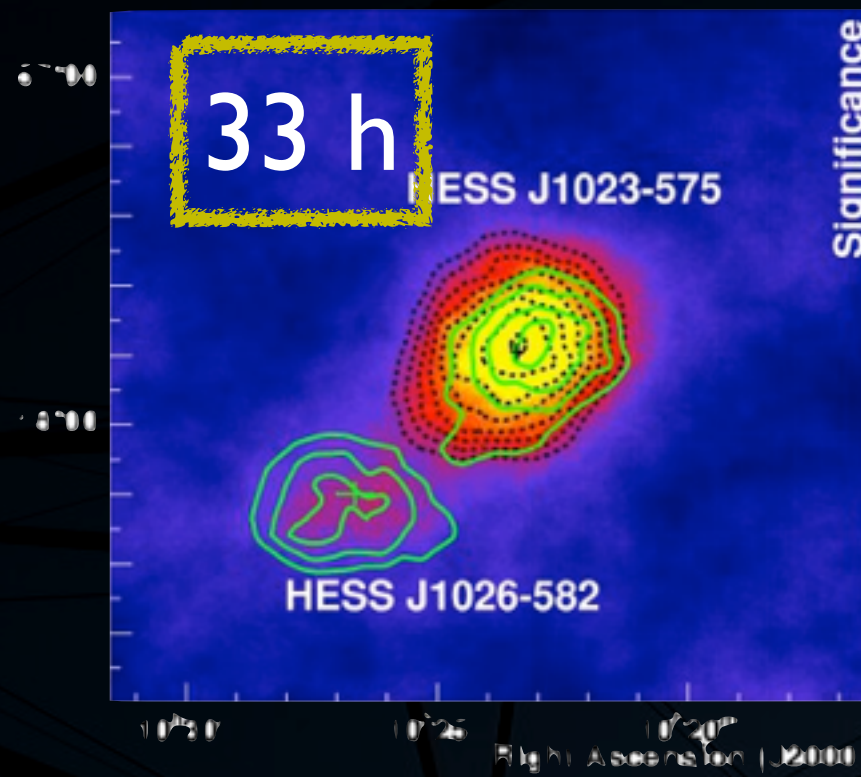
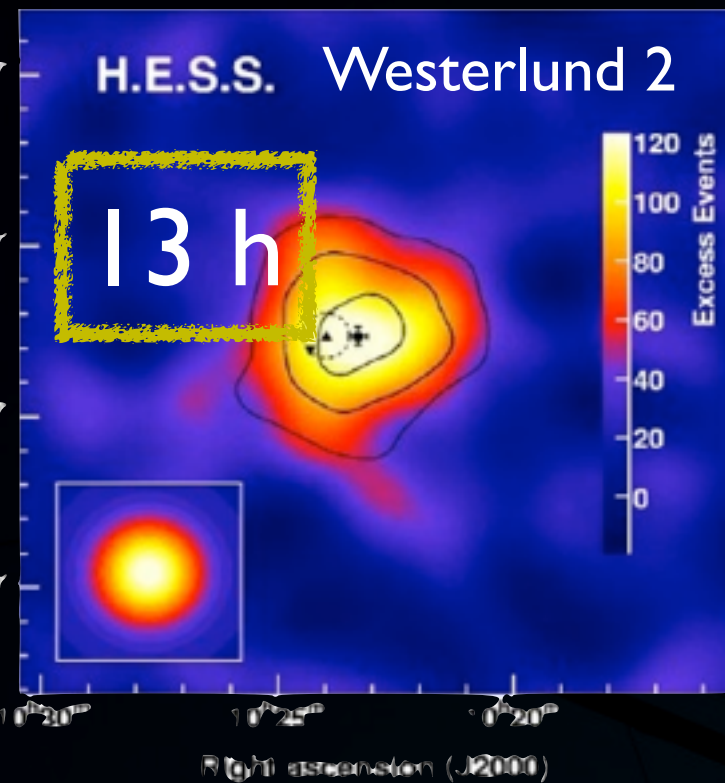
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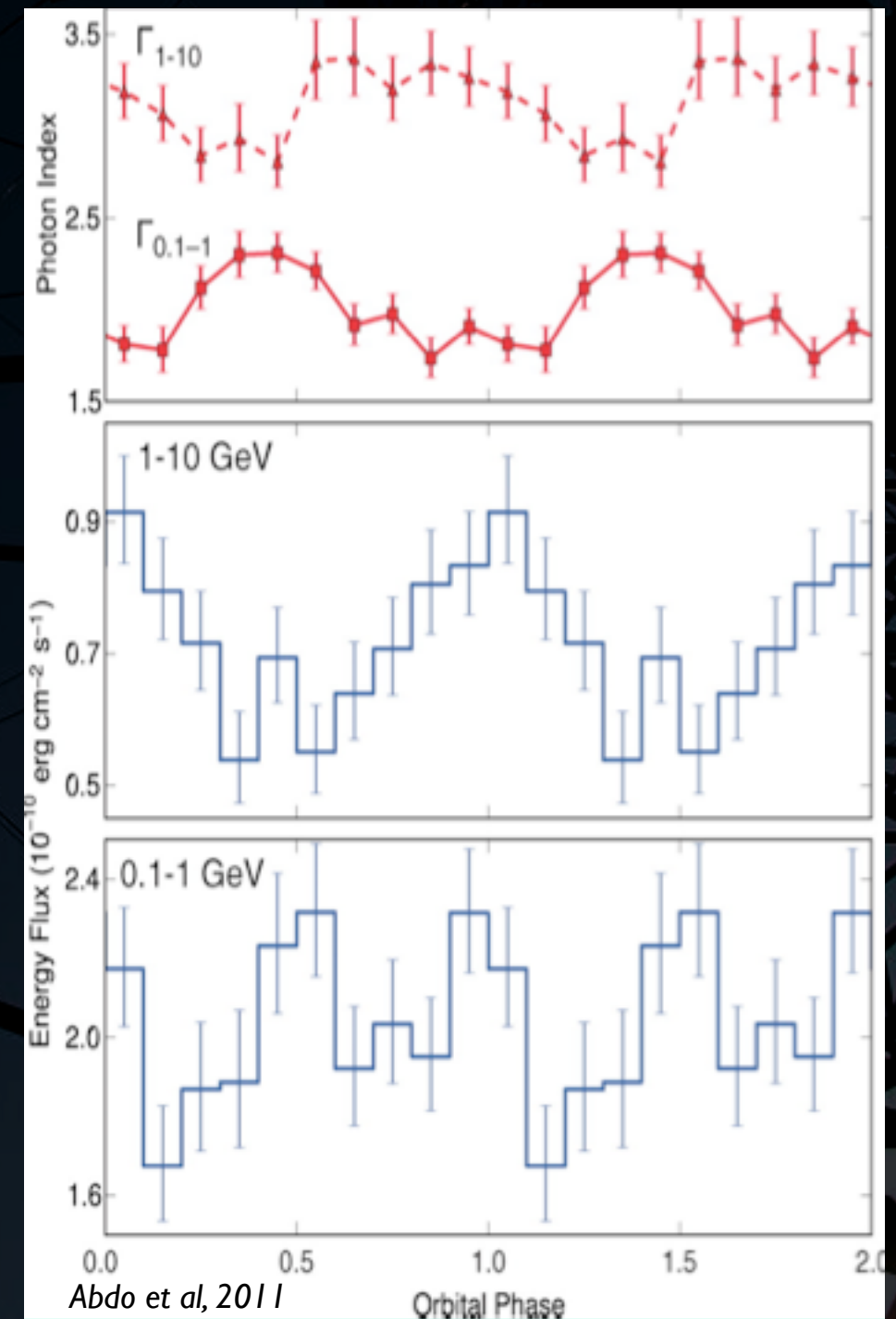
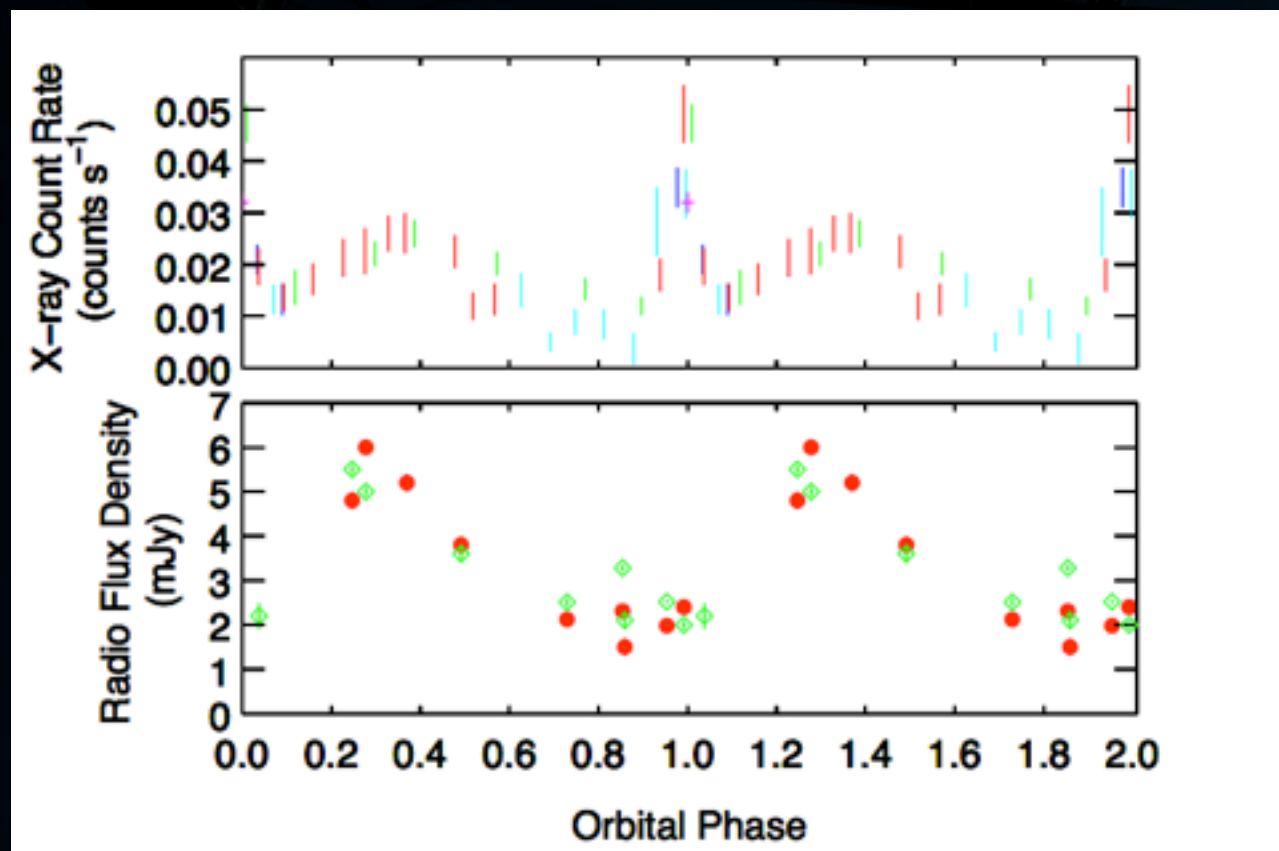
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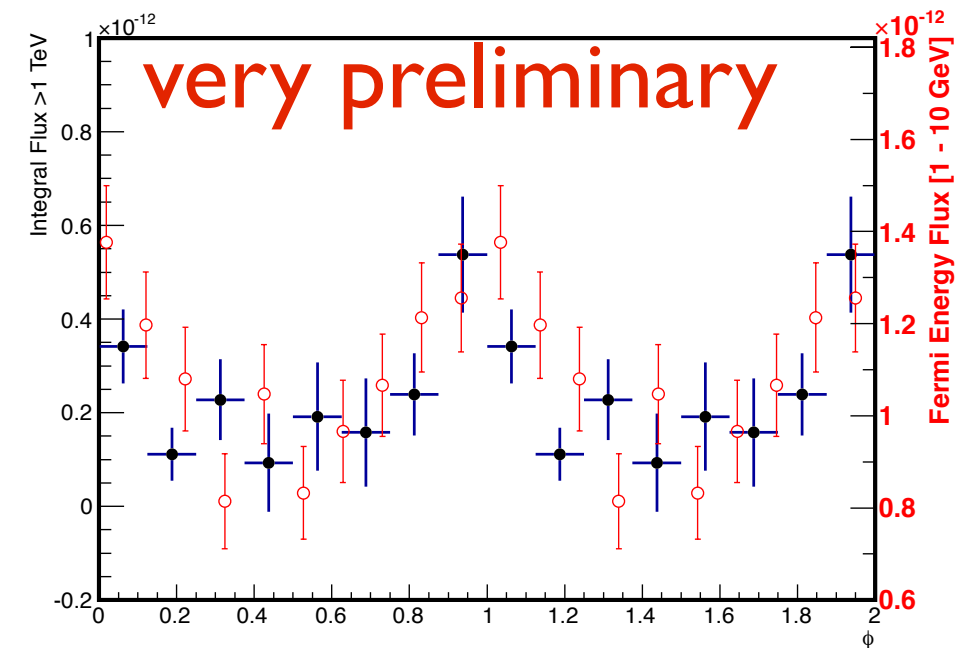
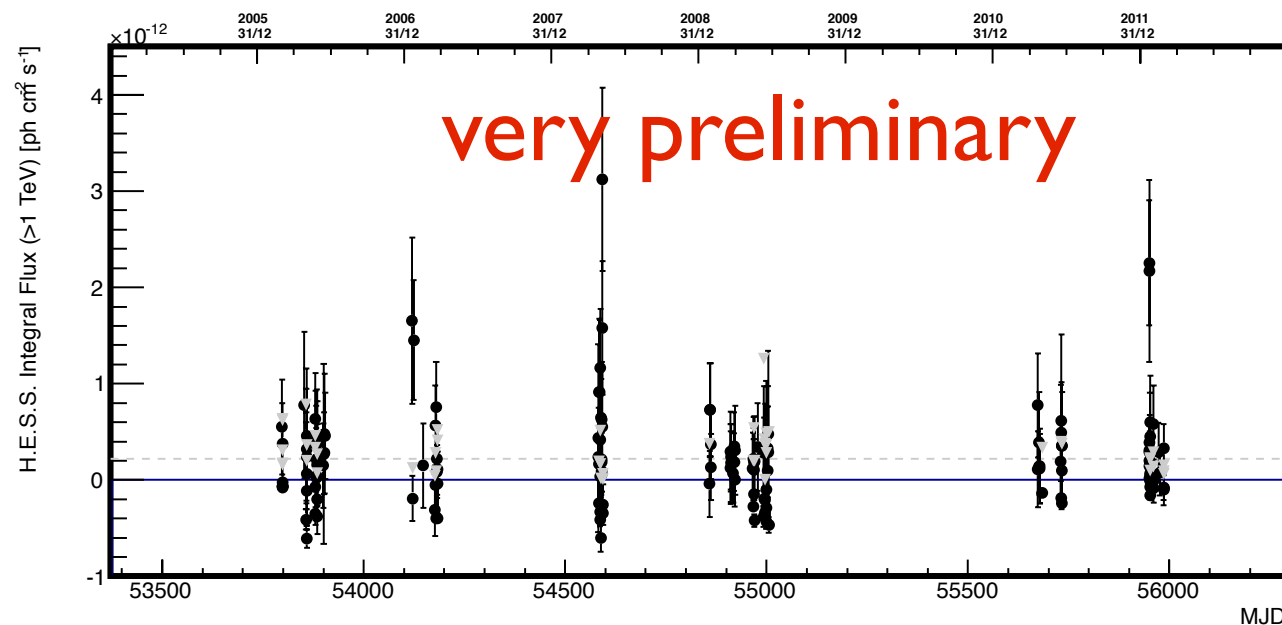
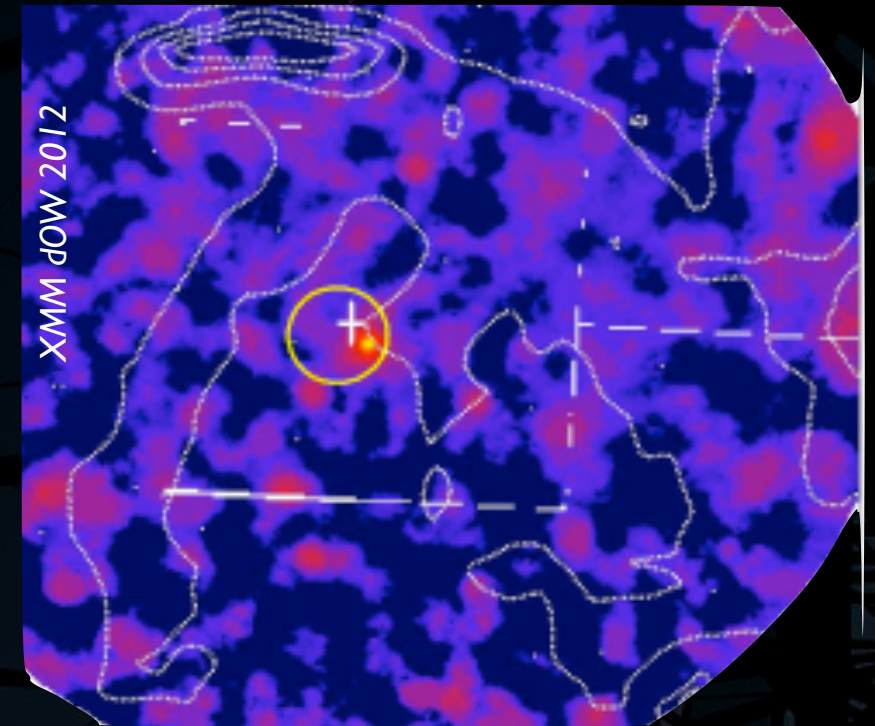


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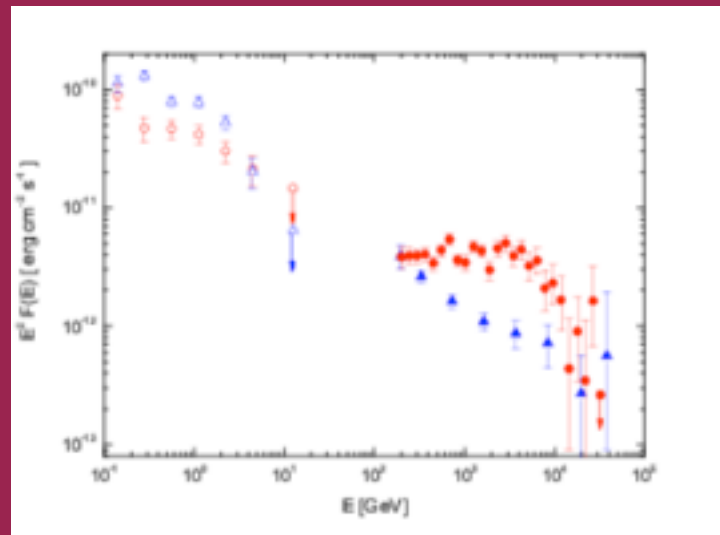
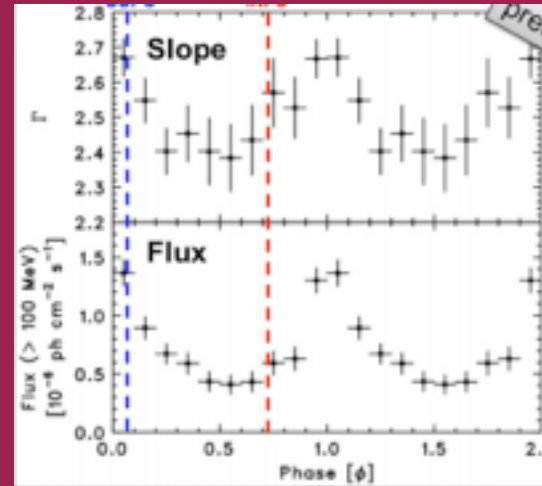
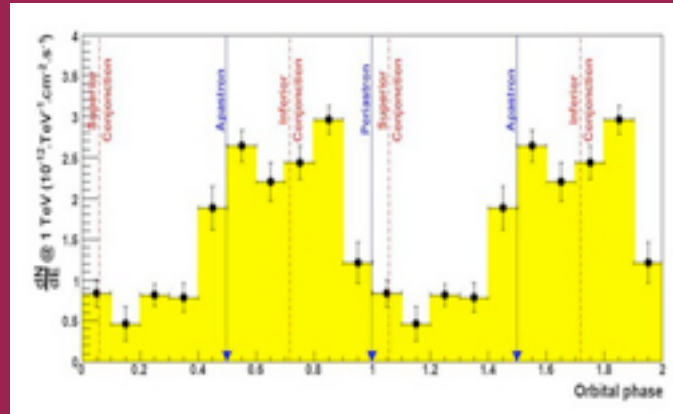
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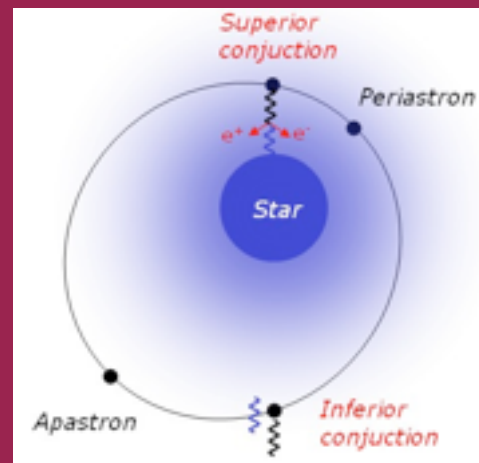
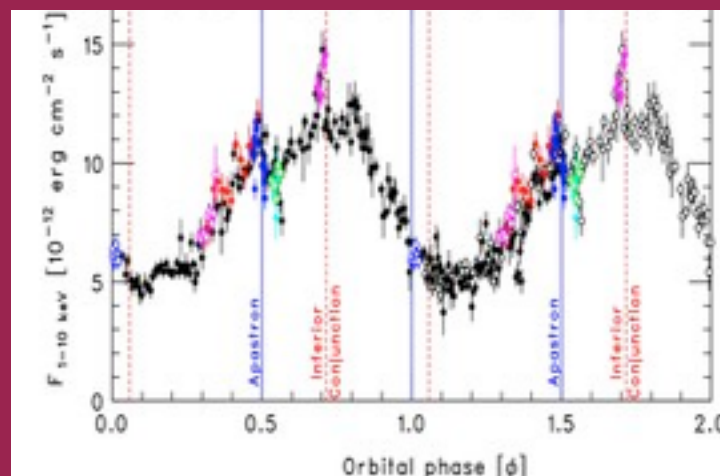
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GeV



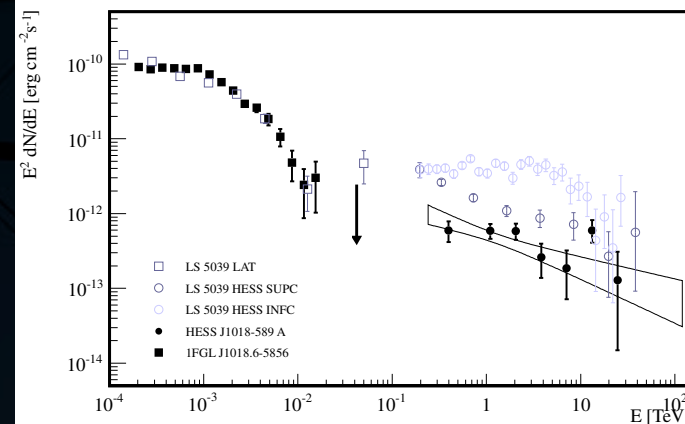
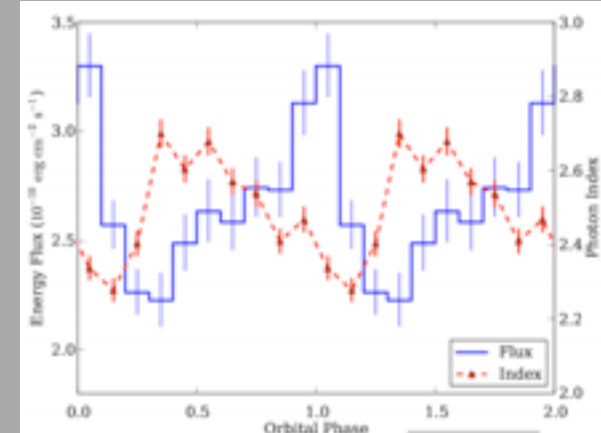
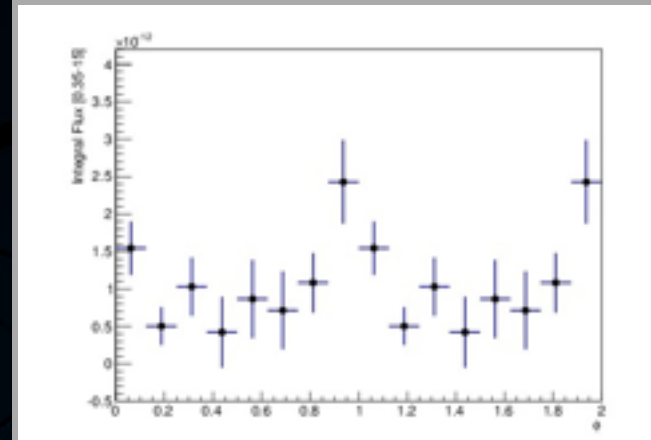
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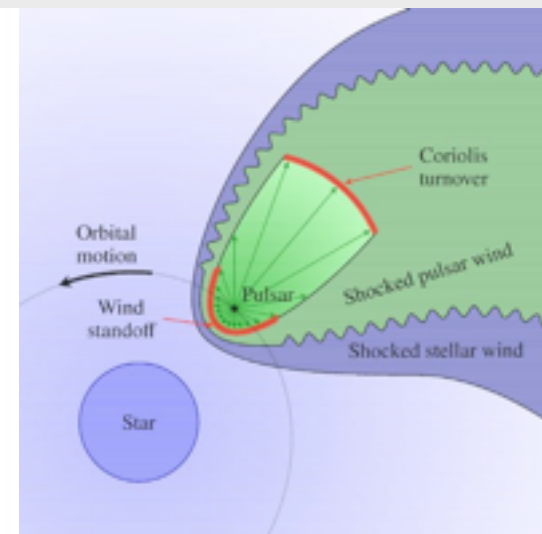
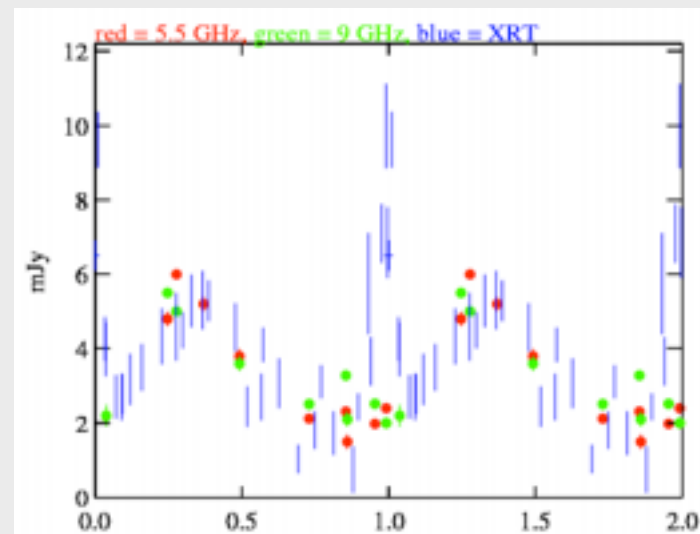
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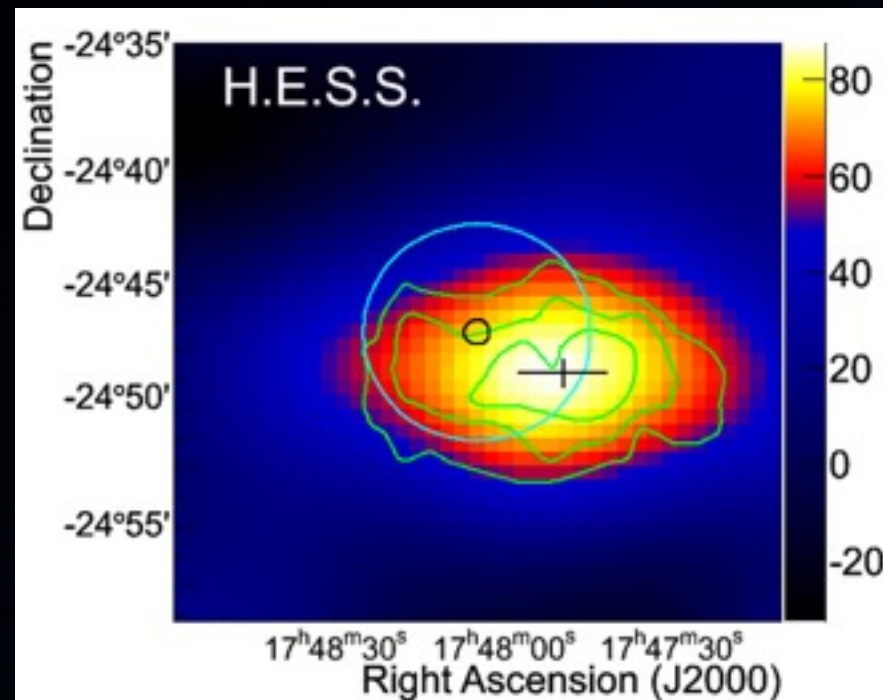


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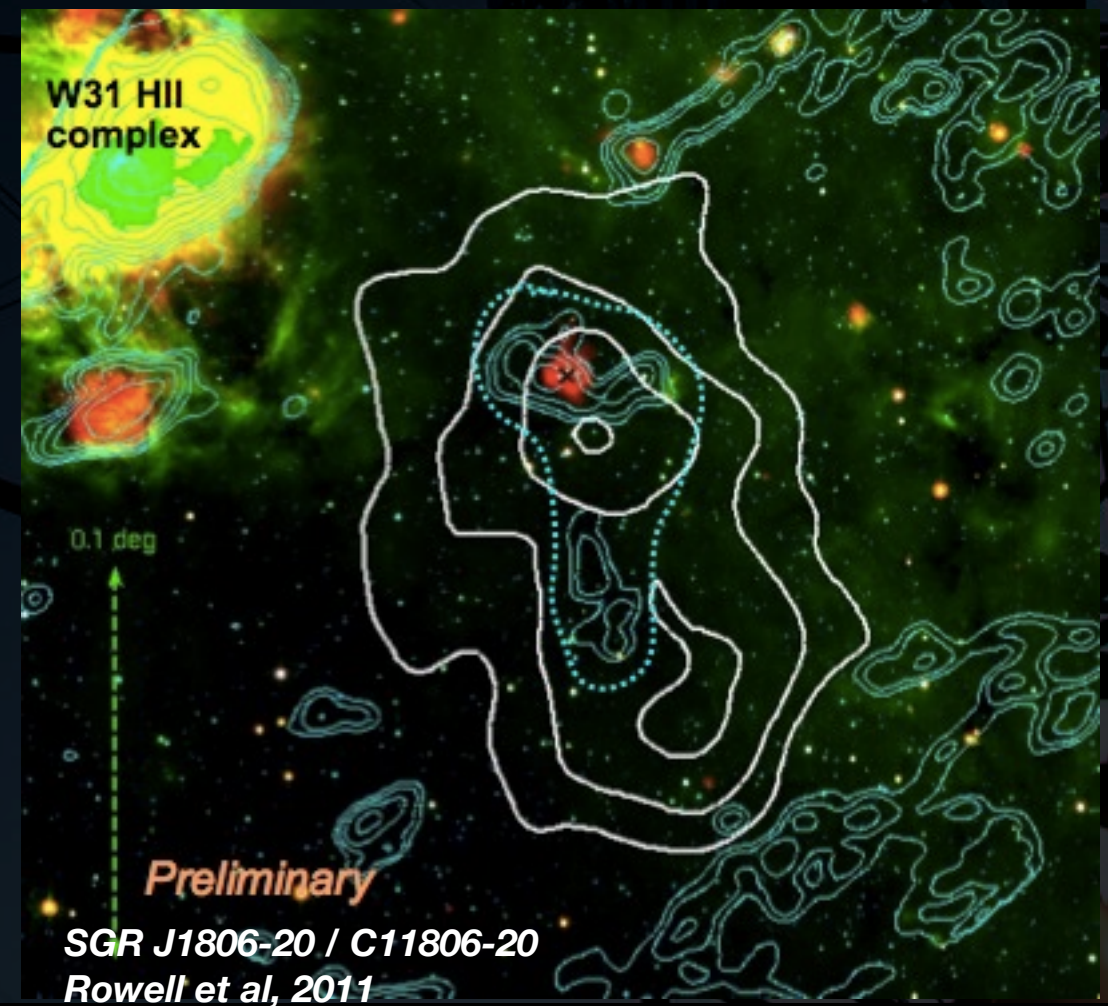
New source types?

HESS J1747-248
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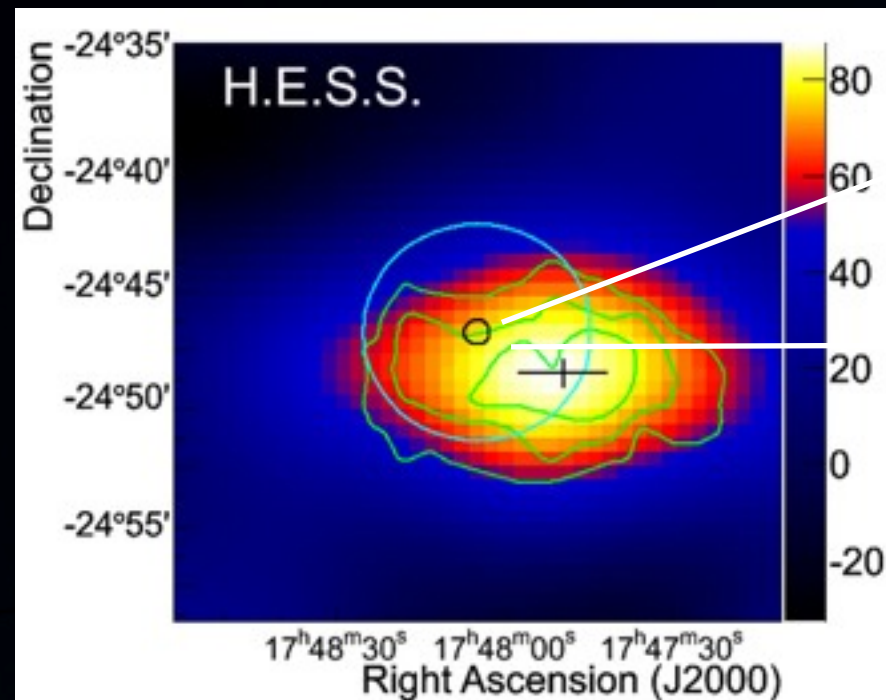
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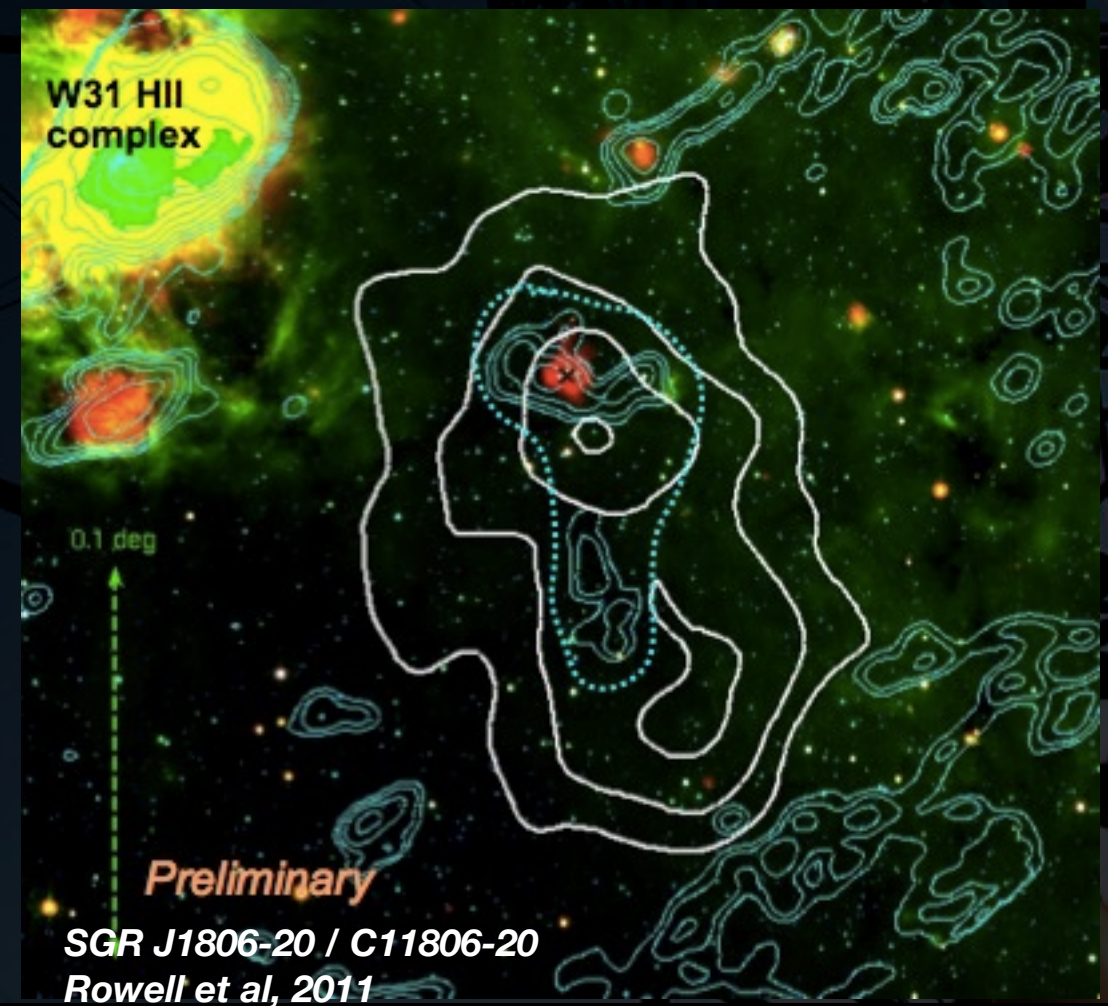
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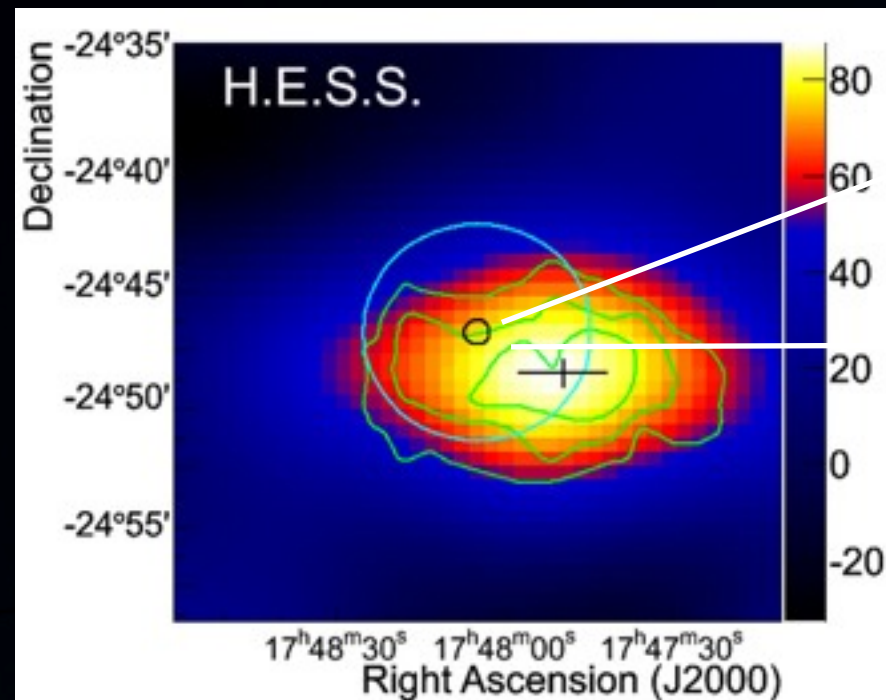


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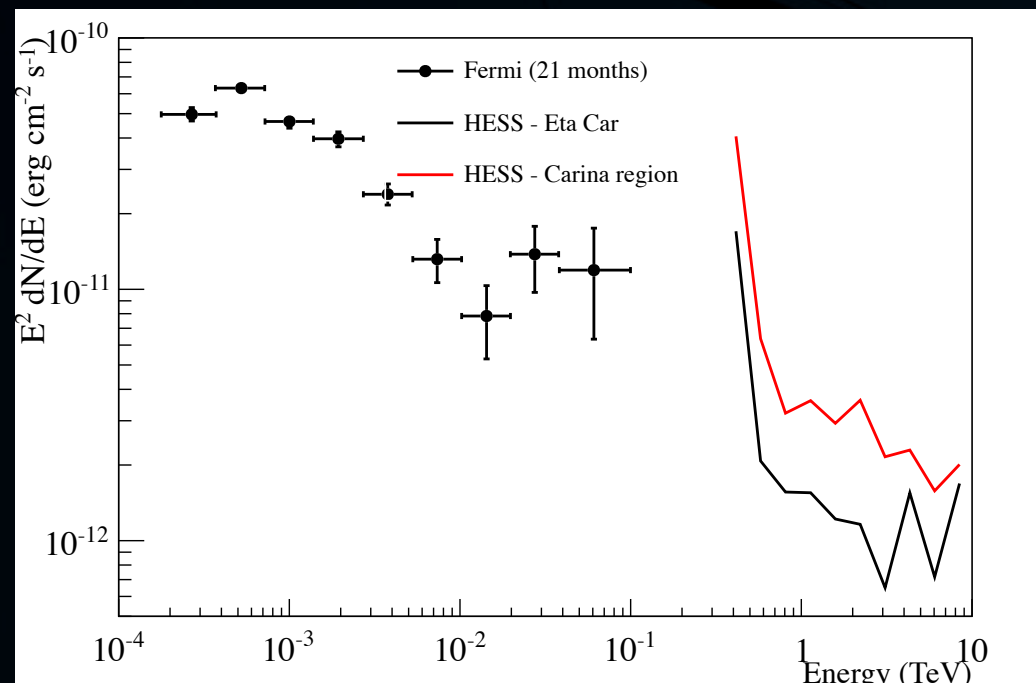


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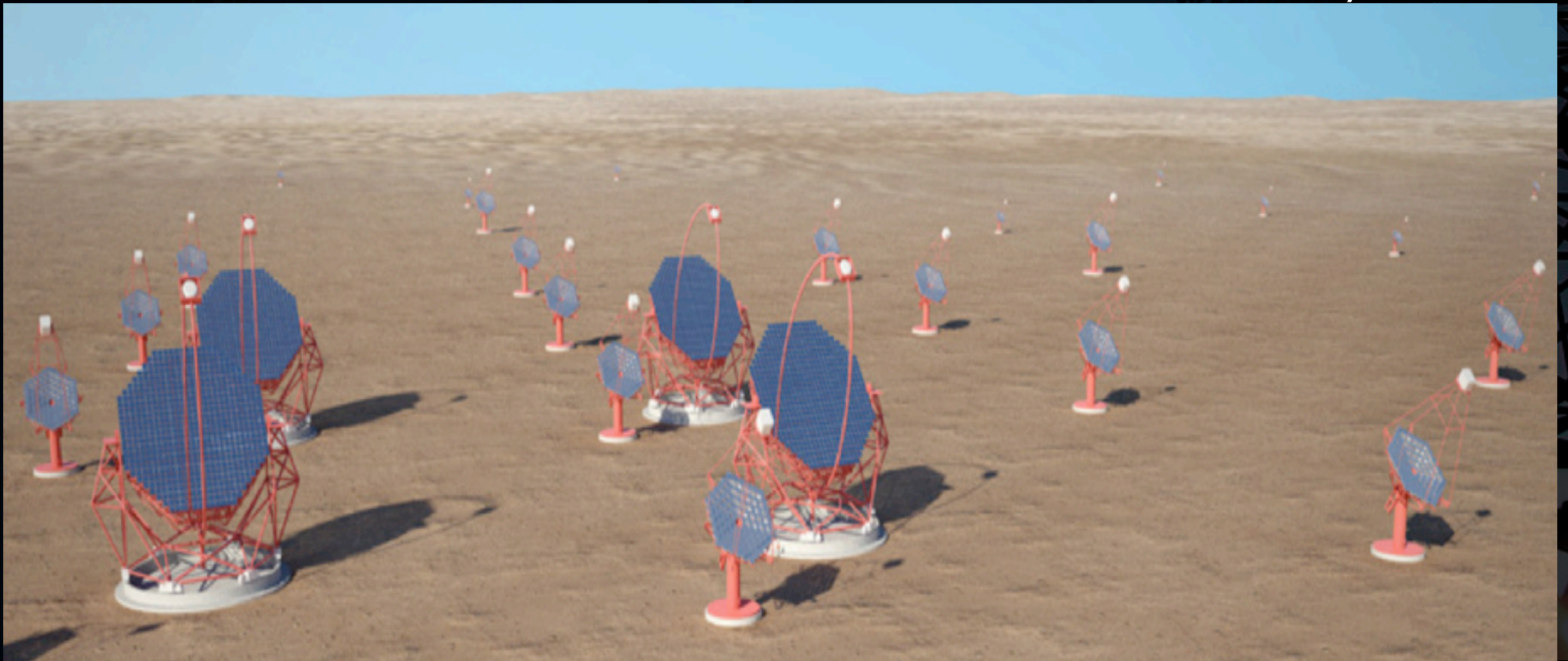
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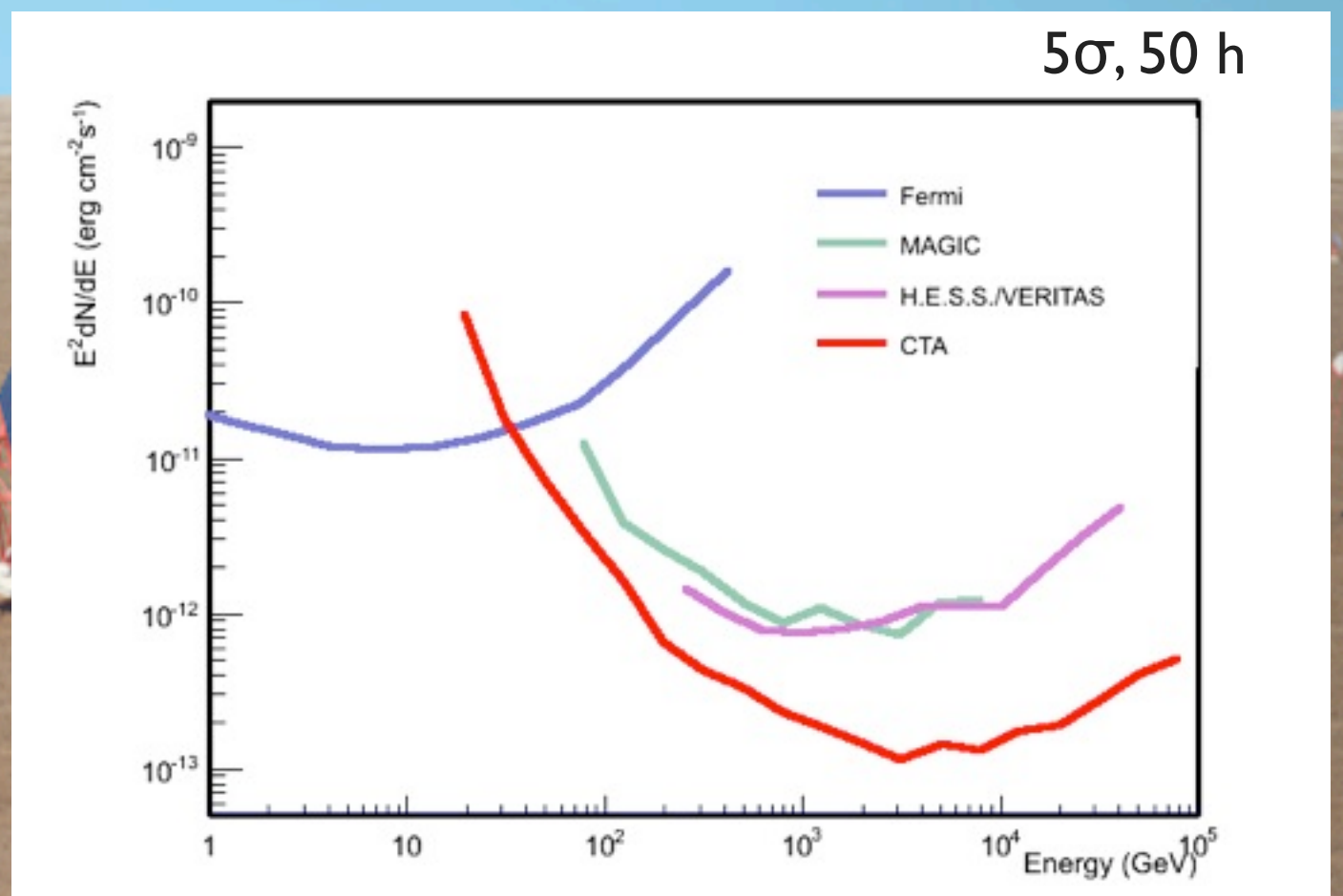
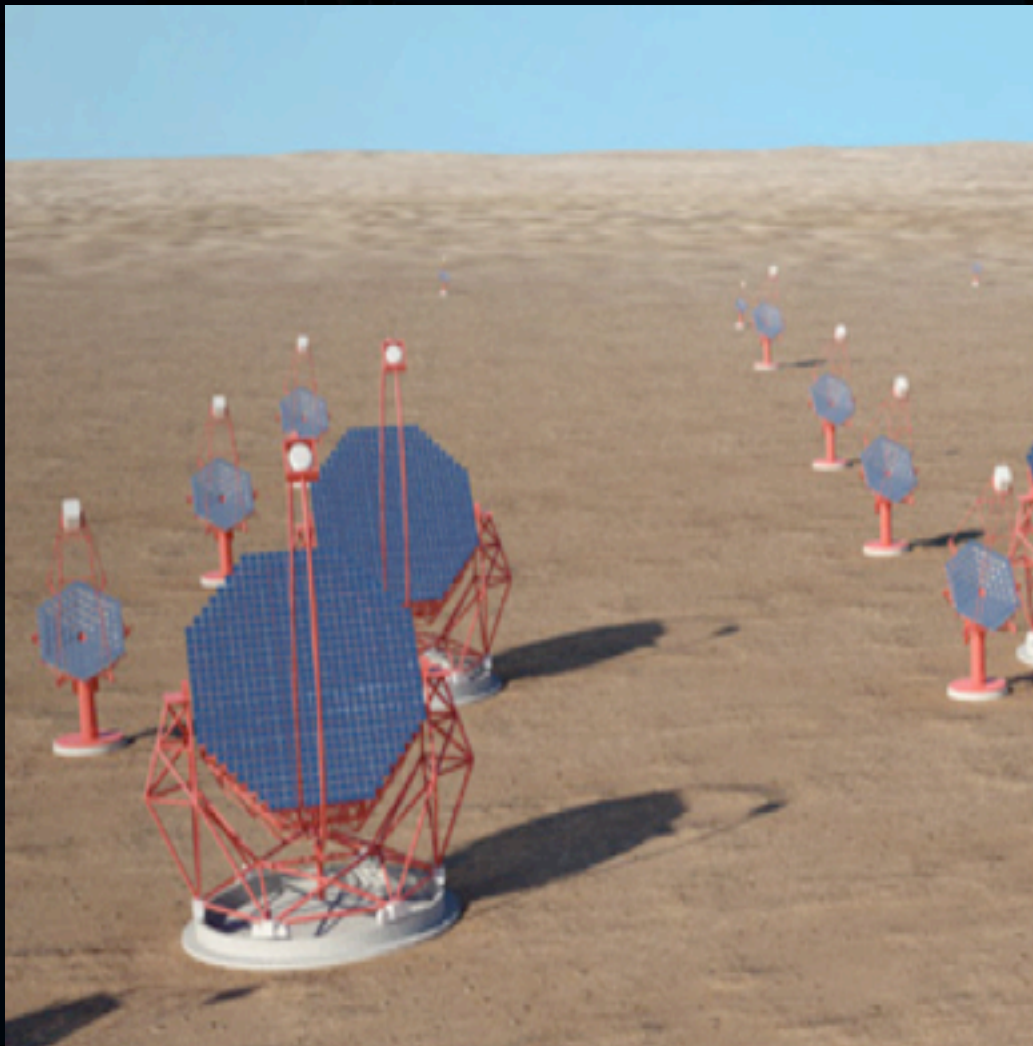
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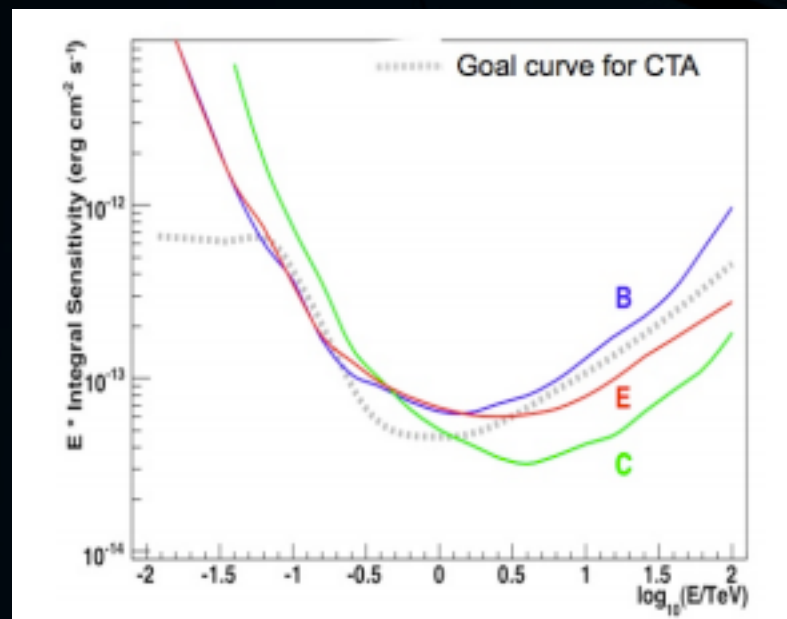


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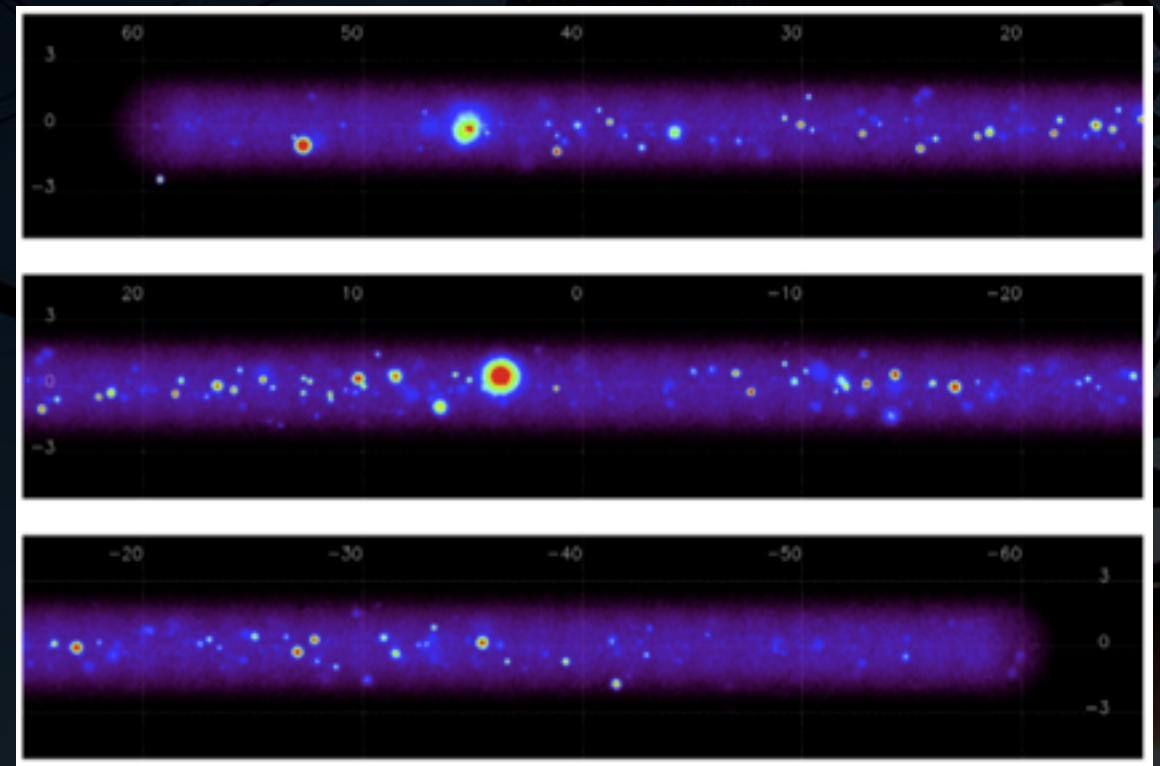
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- Increase the detection area for transients and at the highest energies
- Increase the angular resolution and maintaining a large FoV

New:

- Energy coverage from tens of GeV and beyond >100 TeV
- 2 Sites, flexibility of operation, allowing for sub-arrays and multi-mode
- Operate as an observatory



Simulation of 500 PWNe as seen by CTA

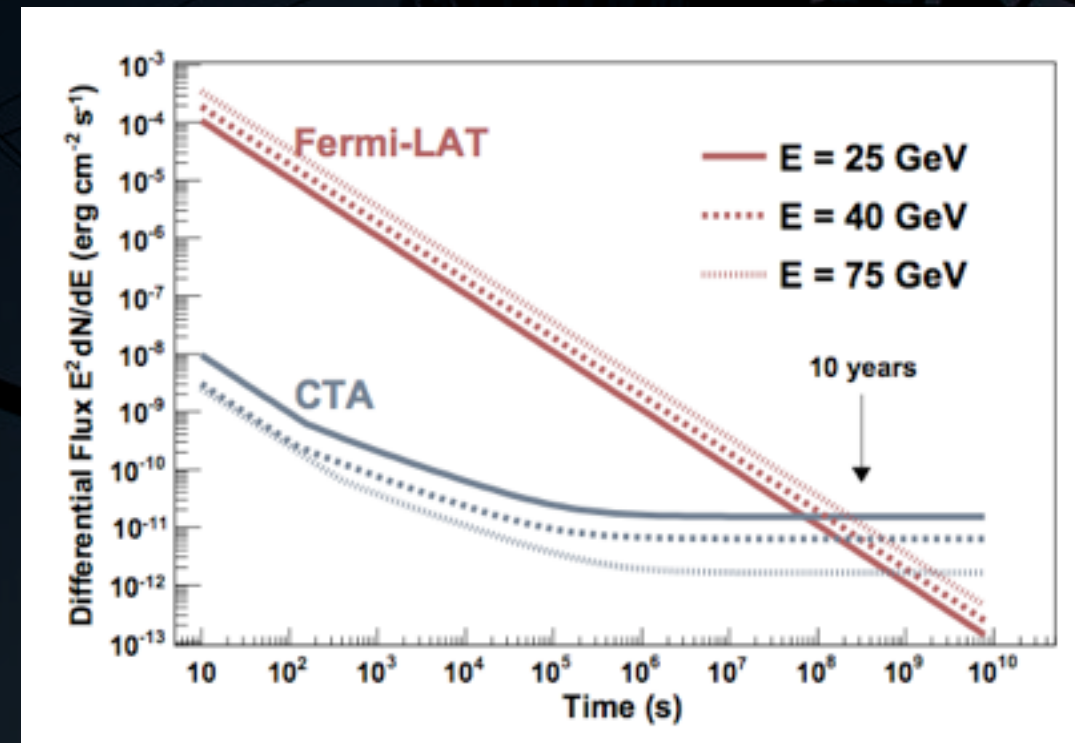
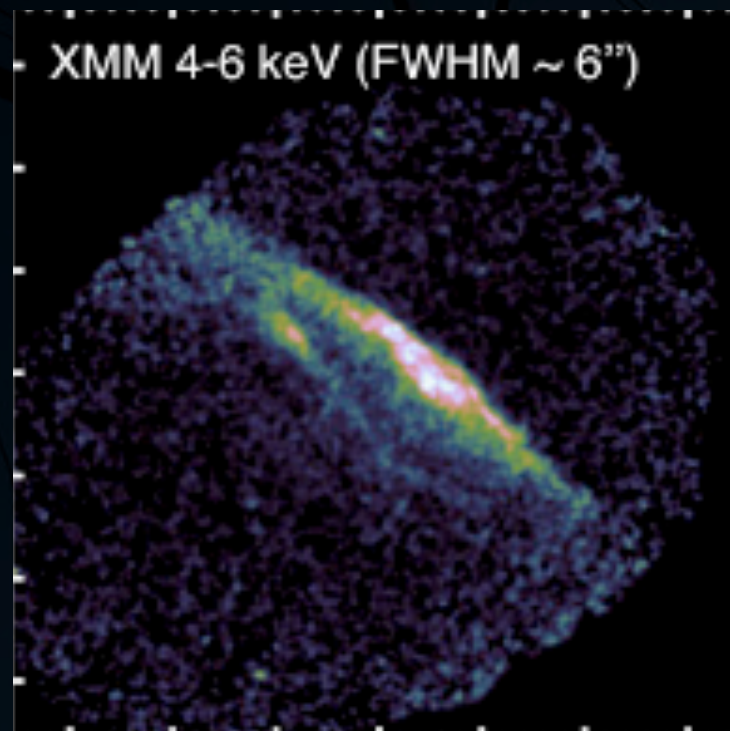
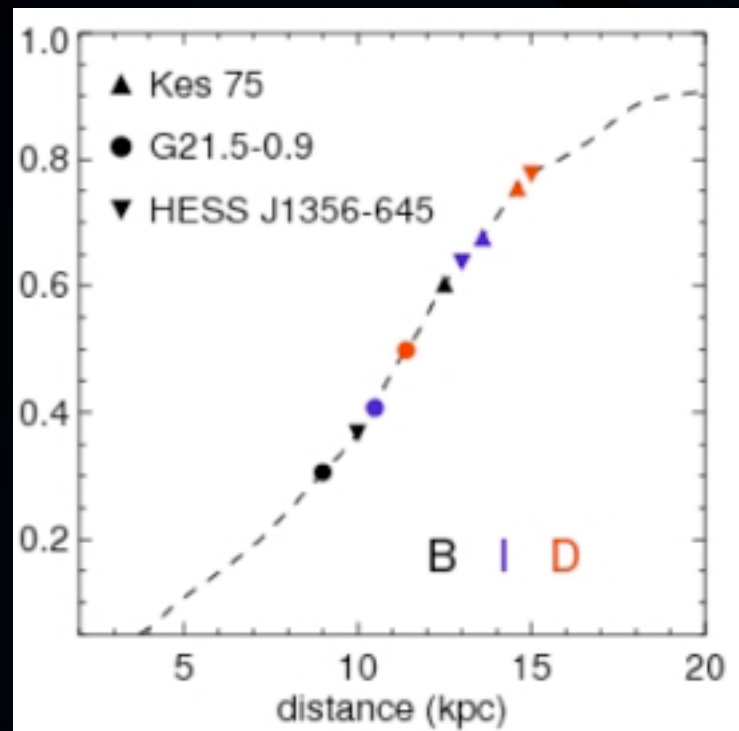


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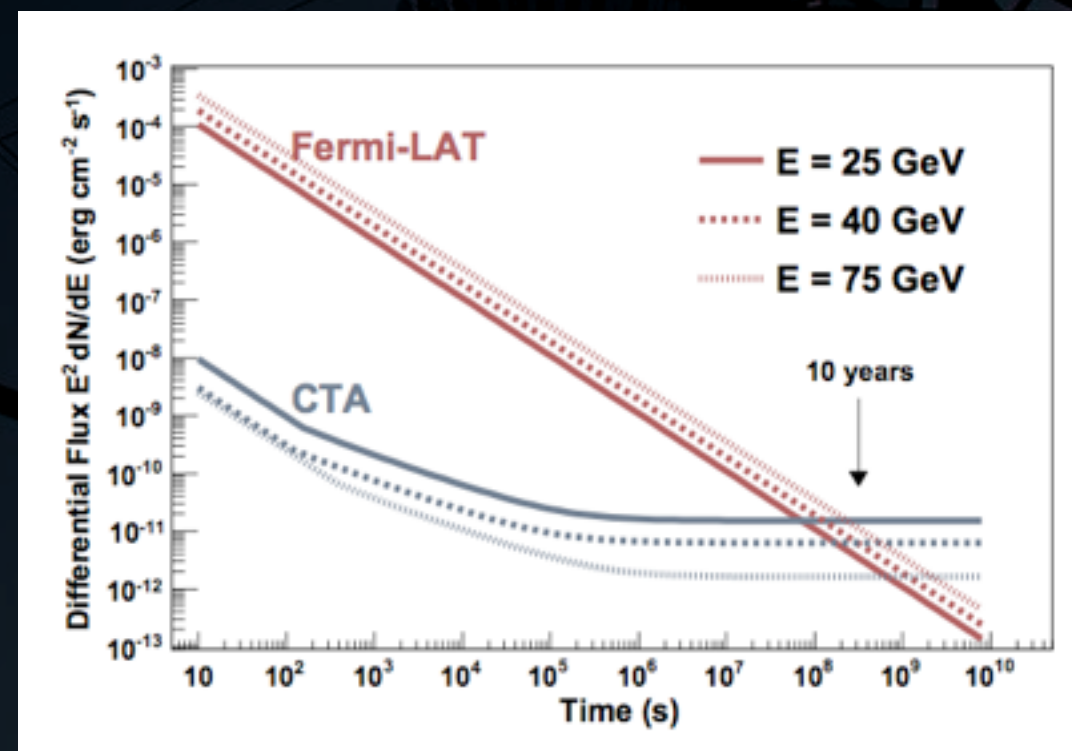
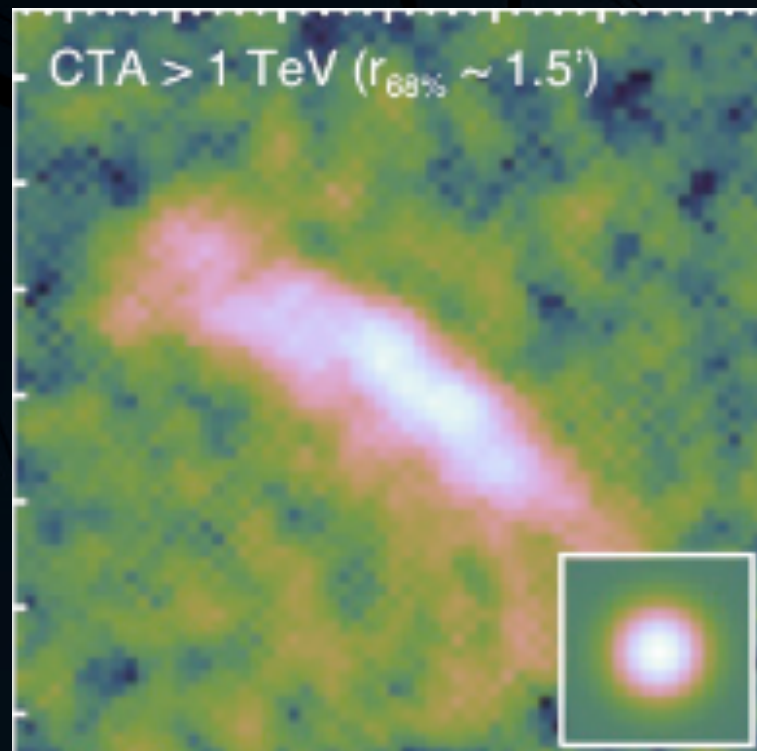
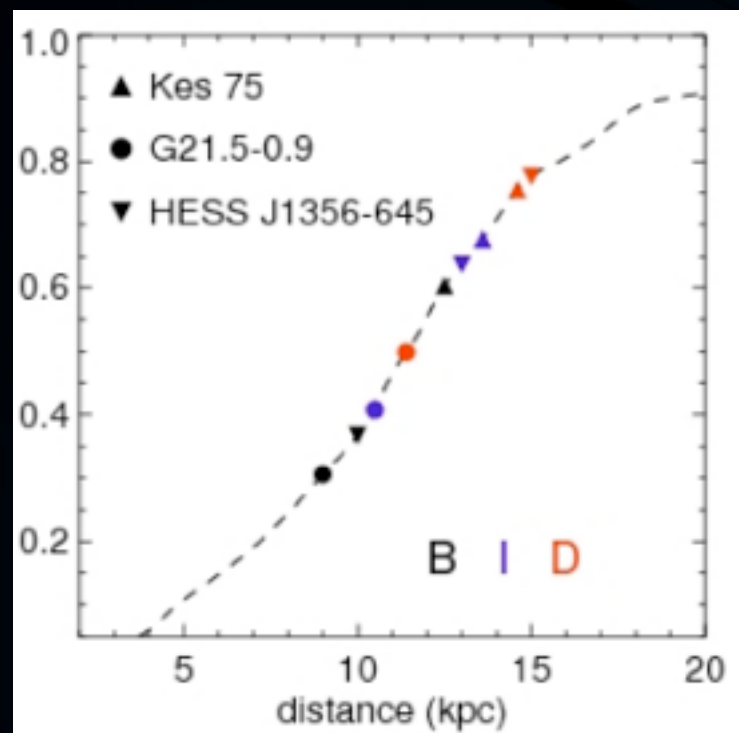


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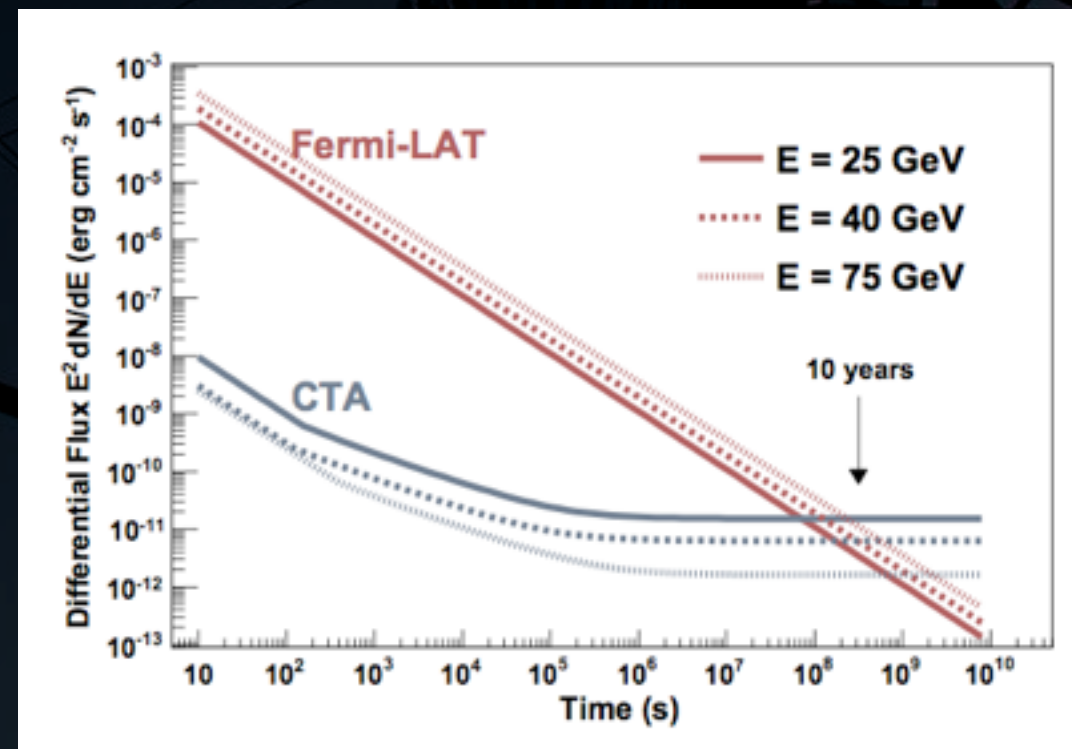
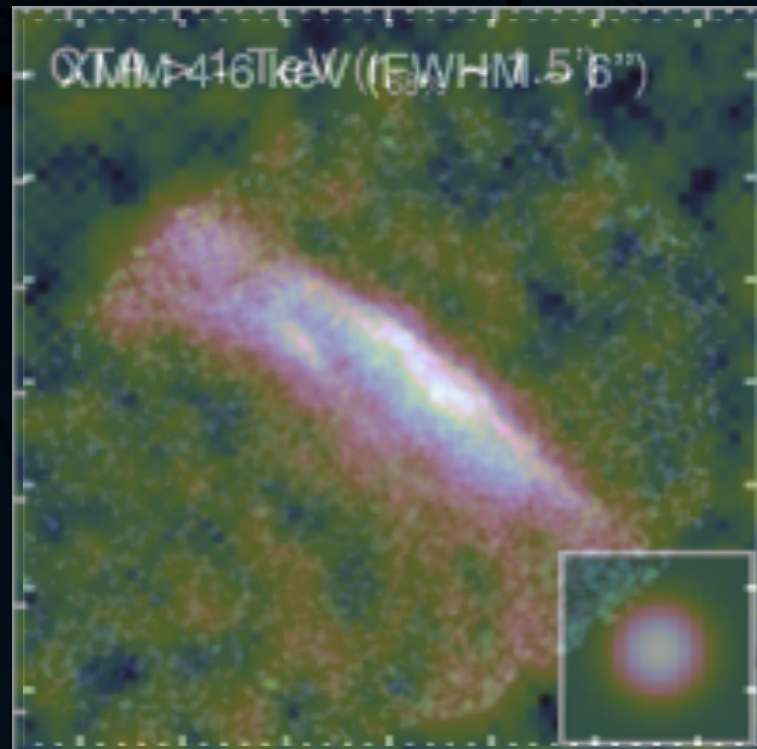
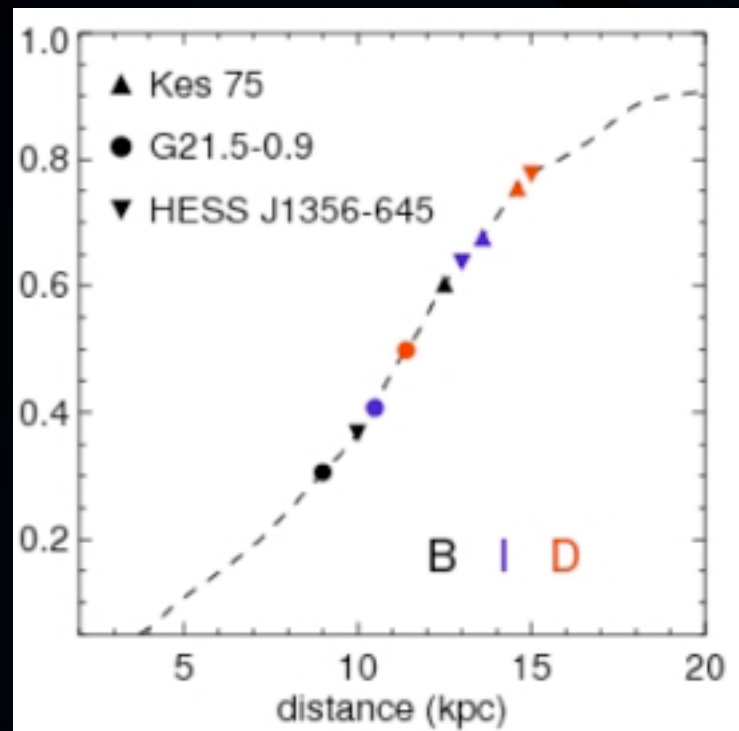


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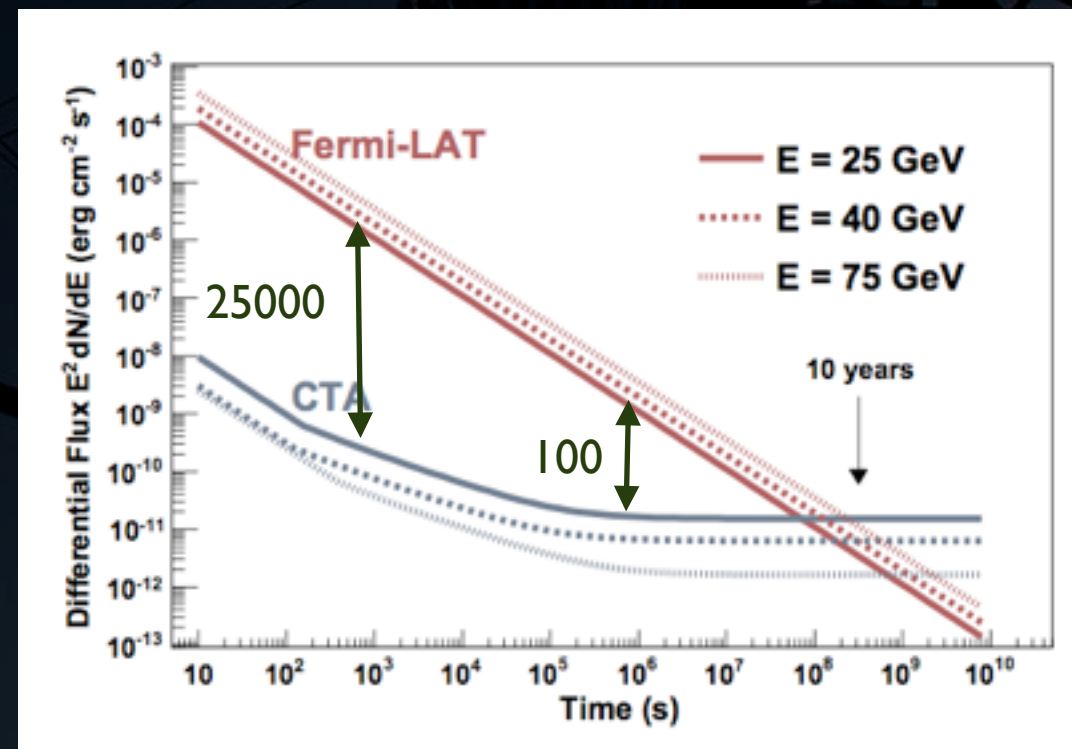
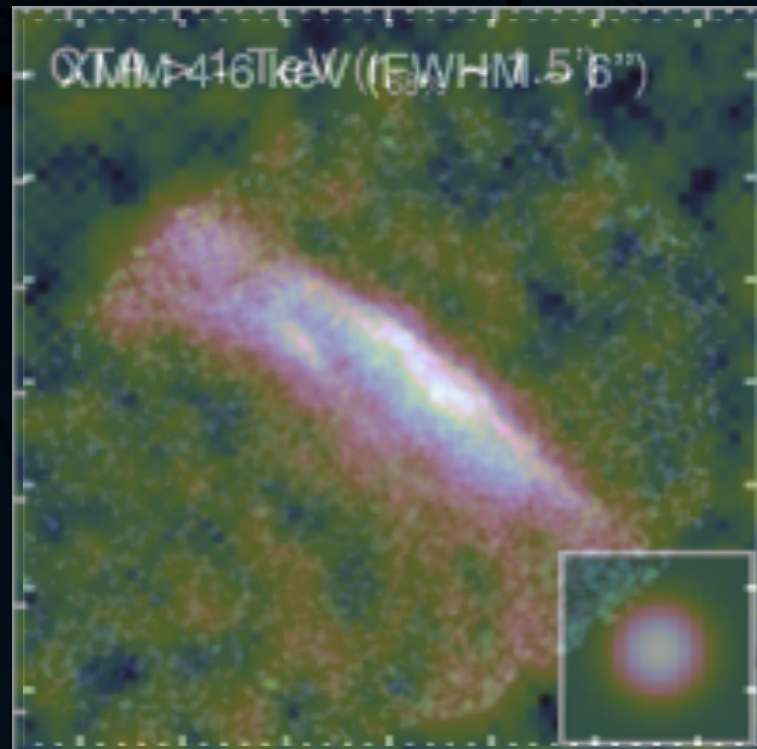
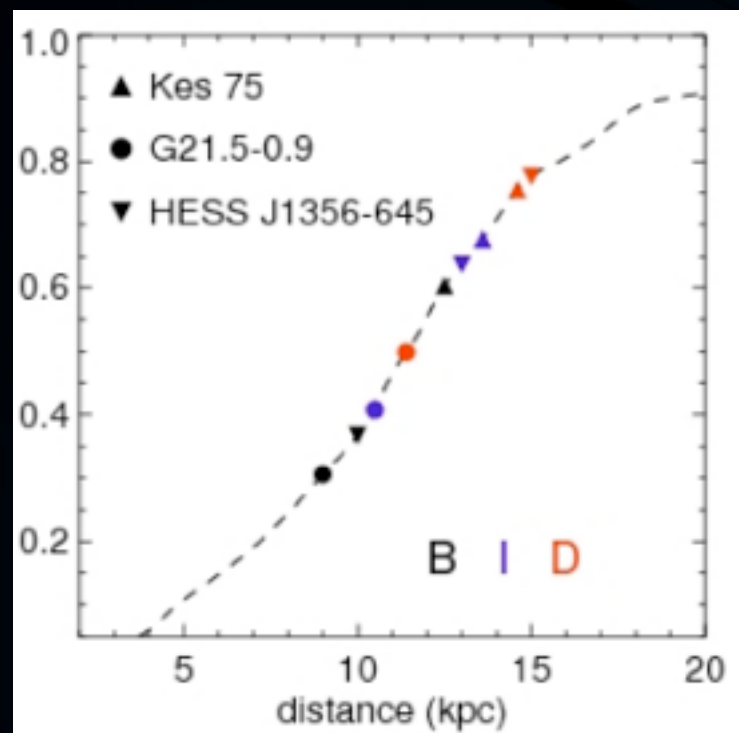


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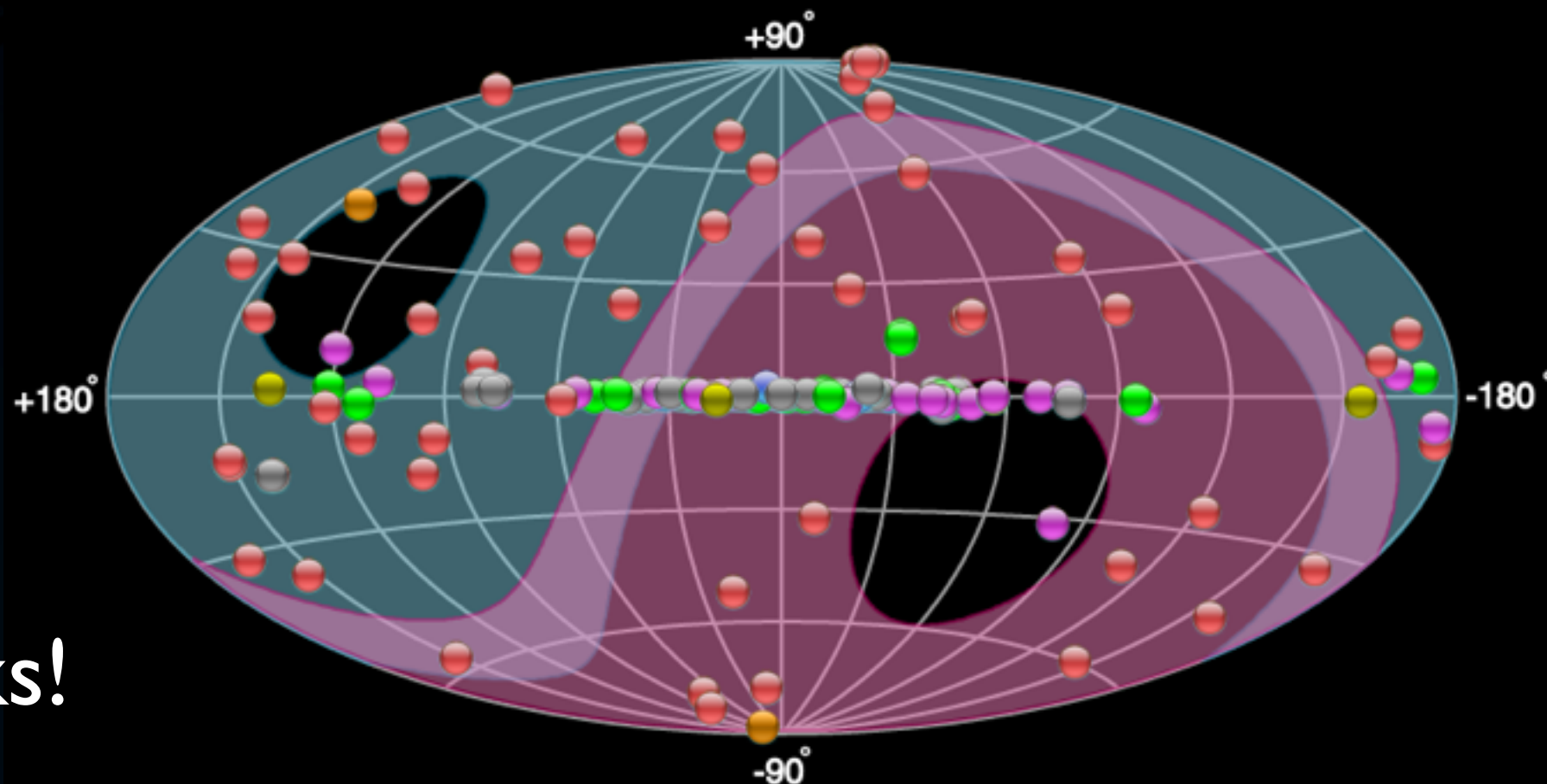
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Summary

- More than 120 sources discovered at TeV energies in the last 10 years
- We are getting closer to finally understand where the CR originates
- A very large population of PWNe discovered at VHE: are ALL PWNe particle dominated?
- The number of binary systems is steadily increasing although we still are puzzled by their behavior
- New surprises: Crab Pulsation, diffuse emission
- New source type still to be confirmed
- Hopefully CTA will soon open new and exciting new results



Thanks!